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BUSINESS DIRECTORY

A. Ide, Dye & Co., rectifiers and dealers in liquors and cigars, 3 Bradley block.

Block, Cameron & Co., produce and commission me hants Charleston avenue, near M. & C. R. R. Depot.

Bradford & Buckingham, cotton factors and general commission merchants, 35 Jefferson street, Memphis.

Buehler, P., manufacturer of gentlemen's boots and shoes 251 Main street.

Brown, Mrs., female doctress, No. 31 Monroe street.

Brown & Griffin, attorneys at law, over Tennessee National Bank, corner Jefferson and Main.

Boone, G. C., & Co., cotton factors and general commission merchants, 32 Jefferson street.

Bristow, S. B., general railroad and steamboat ticket agent, 3 Jefferson street.

Bourne & Co., James T., steamboat agents, 13 Jefferson street.

Bryan, Dillard & Co., cotton factors and tobacco agents, 51 Front street.

Chickasaw Union Bank, 32 Madison street.

Commercial Hotel, D. Bryson, proprietor, corner Front and Jefferson street.

Cooper, Dr. A. W., medicine office in Bethel Block, corner of Court and Main streets.

Cox & Humphreys, produce and commission merchants No. 1 Howard's Row.

Cunningham, Dickson, flour merchant, 320 Front street.

Chamberlin & Co.; C., job printers, blank book manufacturers and stationery, 190 Main street.

Dixon, John A., carpets, furniture, oil cloth, etc., etc., Irving Block.

Dickinson, J. W. & Bro., cotton factors, general commission and wholesale merchants, No. 310 Front street.

Eagle & Sun, newspaper and periodical agents, 10 Jefferson street.

Eastland & Gilbert, wholesale and retail dealers in queensware, china, glass, etc., 305 Main street.

Edmondson & Wise, cotton factors and general commission merchants, 117-3 Union street, Memphis, Tenn.

Exchange Savings Institution, 7 Madison street.

Elson Brothers, mammoth cheap dry goods store, 297 Main street.

Fulbert, minter & Walker, direct importers, Ayres' Building, 2d Second street.

Falls, J. W. & Co., druggists, 351 Main street.

Flagle, Beckham & Chapman, groceries and family supplies, 300 Main street.

Farrington & Howell, grocers, cotton factors and commission merchants, 302 Front street.

Fitzgerald & Co., H., grocers, produce dealers and commission merchants, 29 Front street.

Ford & Co., J. D., manufacturers and dealers in saddles, harness, etc., 267½ Main street.

Gates, Wood & Co., cotton factors and general commission merchants, No. 324 Front street, Memphis, Tenn.

Gaines House, D. Cockrell, proprietor, Shelby, between Gayoso and Mockbee streets.

Gardner & Gilliland, exclusive wholesale dealers in boots, shoes and hats, 226 Main street, up-stairs.

Gwyn, Alden & McCrea, commission and forwarding merchants, No. 36 Second street.

Glover, Dr. L. C., practices in the electric system; Virginia House, Adams street, Memphis, Tennessee.

Goodloe & Isbell, Stave dealers, 160 Main street.

Goepel, Leopold, music dealer, 275 Main street.

Grocery & Co., George M., grocers and cotton factors, 324 Front street.

Gumbinger, J., dealer in spectacles, 217½ Main street.

Hurt, H. W. & N., attorneys at law, 42 Madison street.

Hyde & Co., F. L., wholesale druggists, southwest corner Main and Monroe streets.

Halliwell, Larry, Stamford Xpiss, No. 14 Jefferson street.

Hernando Insurance Company, No. 12 Jefferson street.

Jones & Co., J. W. A., wholesale and retail grocers, cotton factors and commission merchants, 326 Front st.

Johnson & Co., W. J., steamboat agents, Star Wharfboat, foot of Jefferson street.

Knight, Wm. H., dry goods, clothing, notions, 180, 182 Main street.

Keller, Dr. J. M., office Jefferson street, Avalanche Building. Residence at General Hospital.

Leopold, Dr. DeL., eye and ear dispensary, Main street, between Jefferson and Monroe.

Lawrence & Carter, general commission and forwarding merchants, 228 Front street.

Levi & Co., A. & S., auctioneers, Second street, between Madison and Monroe.

Linkhauer & Brother, agents, boot and shoemakers 231½ Second street.

Lane & Saunders, real estate agents, 34 Front street.

Leidy & Miller, Dealers in hats, caps, straw goods, etc., No. 21 Main street.

Levy and Millsey, general steamboat agents and forwarders of Cook and Main streets.

Lowenstein, B., staple and fancy dry goods, 282 Main street.

Mardwell & Anderson, marble works, 39 Union street.

Moore, Whitsell & Rayser, cotton factors, storage and general commission merchants, 324 Front street, Memphis

McKinney, Brown & Co., dealers in furniture, carpets oil cloth, 220 Main street, McKinney's old stand.

Memphis Insurance Co., 274 Madison street.

Merchants' National Bank, No. 5 Jefferson street.

Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad, office No. 5 Jefferson street, under Commercial Hotel.

McRae & Walker, attorneys at law, Bethel Block.

McClure, J. H., architect and engineer, Stillman Block, corner Madison and Second streets.

Montreal & Montgomery, real estate agents, 271 Second street.

Matthew & Bro., liquor dealers, 291 Main street.

Mosley, J. R., coal dealer, 19 Union street.

Mastin & Donegan, cotton factors, commission and forwarding merchants, 1240 Front street.

Mardwell & Anderson, marble works, No. 39 Union street, between Second and Third.

Mahler & Co., George, wholesale grocers, cotton factors and general commission merchants, 272 Front street.

Murray & Ridgely, merchant tailor, No. 31 Madison street, Memphis, Tenn.

McCaffrey & Cornelius, general undertakers and embalmers of the dead, 317 Second street, Memphis, Tenn.

Mims & Stoddard, auctioneers, 271 Main street.

Murray & Ridgely, merchant tailors, 2 Madison street.

Mahler Brothers, staple and fancy dry goods, 260 Main street.

Memphis and Charleston Railroad Office, corner Main and South Court street.

Mitchell & Badham, manufacturers of furniture, dealers in carpets, oil cloths, etc., 208 Main street and 36 Monroe.

Moore & Co., cotton factors and general commission merchants, 14 Monroe street.

Memphis Home, grocers and cotton factors, 276 Front street.

Memphis Agency & Western Union Telegraph Co., 290 Main street, Memphis Insurance Agents, 285 Main and 284 Madison streets.

Otis & Co., wholesale millinery supplies, 219 Second street.

Pattison & Co., George, booksellers and stationers, 26 North Court street.

Payne & Harbert, cotton and tobacco factors and gen'l commission merchants, 14 Monroe street.

Pomeroy, Lacey & Co., produce and commission merchants, 180 Main street.

Power & McGhee, merchant tailors, 222 Second street.

Packet, W. C., Superintendent Memphis and St. Louis Packet Company, foot of Jefferson street.

People's Bank of Tennessee, 13 Madison street.

People's Insurance Company, W. B. Greenlaw, President, 20 Madison street.

Pomeroy & Co., W. H., General Auctioneers, Vincent Building, 2d Second street.

Perkins, Livingston & Fant, cotton gins, presses and plantation machinery, 228 Main street, Memphis, Tenn.

Pomeroy, E. S., general storage and commission merchant, 34 North street, Memphis, Tenn.

Price & Terry, cotton factors, 15 Union street.

Patrick & Co., J. S., cotton factors, 254 Front street.

Planters' Insurance Company of Tennessee, 272 Front street.

Peyton & Yeatman, dealers in tobacco and flour, and general commission merchants, 304 Front street.

Price & Terry, cotton factors and commission merchants, 15 Union street.

Pattison, Geo. & Co., booksellers and stationers, 26 North Court street.

Pelles & Hammock, china, glass and queensware, 273 Main street.

Price & Yeatman, general commission merchants, 304 Front street.

Pooley, Bergman & Co., watches, diamonds and fine jewelry, 205 Main street.

Robinson & Co., Wm. A., founders and machinists, opposite Gayoso House.

Rollin, Finney & Co., cotton factors, 15 Union street.

Rogers & Co., S. C., Publishers of The Baptist and The Southern Farmer, 37 Arcade Building, Court street.

Robbins, E. & Bradley, hardware merchants, 322 Second street, Adams block, Memphis, Tenn.

Rowzee, Townsend & Co., Auctioneers and Real Estate Brokers, Ayres Block, Second street.

Ramsey, Mitchell & Co., cleaning and polishing goods, 36 Main street.

St. Louis Mutual Life Insurance Company, McMahon & Otis, agents; office, 42 Madison street.

Smith, W. R., undertaker, 10 Monroe street.

Smith, Owen, undertaker, 303 northeast corner Gayoso and Second streets.

Selden, William & Co., lumber dealers, 274 Madison street.

Savings Bank of Memphis 295 Main street.

Sayers, James, passenger agent, City Wharfboat, foot of Monroe street.

Steinhaal, Jacob, dealer in fine liquors, 336 Third street.

Smith, Thomas B., undertaker, 10 Monroe street.

Swab, Chance A., general insurance agent, 34 Dalas street, up-stairs.

Sheppard, Watkins & Co., dry goods and commission merchants, 31 Main street.

Stirk, F., architect and engineer, Irving Block, Second street, near Court.

Swan & Fentz, attorneys at law, No. 40 Madison street, De Soto Block.

Tyree, Mitchell, wholesale dealers in boots, shoes and hats, 226 Main street, Eclipse Building.

Terrell & Co., J. C., merchant tailors, 19 Jefferson street.

Toof, S. C., Book and Job Printer, No. 12 West Court street.

Townsend, J. T., & Sons, real estate brokers, 18 Madison street.

Van Brocklin, E., auctioneer and commission merchant, 324 Madison street.

Vinson & Donohoe, steamboat agents, 324 Front street, up stairs.

Vascaro, A & Co., Liquor merchants, No. 324 Front street.

Worsham House, corner Main and Adams streets. C. B. Galloway, proprietor.

Walker Brothers & Co., dealers in dry goods, 179 Main street.

Webb, Mitchell & Co., wholesale grocers and cotton factors, No. 13 Union street, Memphis, Tenn.

Webb, S. M. & Co., cotton factors and commission merchants, 3232 Front street, Memphis, Tenn.

White, Kerr & Rootes, cotton factors, general commission merchants and forwarding merchants, 304 Front street.

Wood & Moss attorneys at law, 250 Second street.

Webber, E. B., & Bro., cotton factors and commission merchants, No. 6 Jefferson street.

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OFFICIAL JOURNAL OF THE CITY.

FOR GOVERNOR,

EMERSON ETHERIDGE

OF WEAKLEY COUNTY.

FOR CONGRESS,

Hon. J. W. LEFTWICH.

FOR STATE SENATOR,

Hon. JOHN W. SMITH, of Shelby.

FOR REPRESENTATIVES,

Honorable DAN. ABLE,

Honorable W. W. COLEMAN.

FOR FLOATER.

GENERAL PHILLIP B. GLENN,

OF FAYETTE COUNTY.

MR. ETHERIDGE'S APPOINTMENTS.

Hon. EMERSON ETHERIDGE, Conservative candidate for Governor, will address the people at the following times and places:

Huntingdon, Friday, June 28th.
Lexington, Saturday, June 29th.
Gallatin, Tuesday, July 2d.
Lebanon, Thursday, July 4th.
Murfreesboro, Friday, July 5th.
Shelbyville, Saturday, July 6th.
Fayetteville, Monday, July 8th.
Franklin, Wednesday, July 10th.
Columbia, Thursday, July 11th.
Pulaski, Friday, July 12th.

The Czar left one million dollars to the poor of Paris.

Cincinnati's new boulevard will cost one million dollars.

John Holdsworth committed suicide by shooting himself, in Philadelphia, on Thursday.

An internal revenue officer at Nashville has seized about one thousand barrels of whisky.

The Empress Charlotte has recovered the clearness of her intellect since hearing of the captivity of her husband.

Beast Butler promised to appoint a colored cadet to West Point, but appointed a white one.

The illumination of Paris to celebrate "the Czar's escape," was the most magnificent and extensive that city ever witnessed.

Dennis Burns, seventy-five years old, was arrested Friday in Brooklyn, charged with violating a little girl nine years old. He is held for trial.

While waiting for a letter in the Boston postoffice, a few days since, George Carter was jostled by a crowd and had his pocket picked of five thousand dollars.

At an auction sale of the Southern Express Company at Atlanta, recently, the purchaser of an unclaimed package drew as his prize a bundle of blank amnesty oaths.

Alexander Renaud, who committed rape on a girl four and a half years old, in Brooklyn, is sentenced to serve twenty years in the State prison. The child died from the brutality of the fiend.

George Hamm, Recorder of Jackson county, Kansas, was shot and instantly killed on the 26th instant, by John McIntosh, a lawyer. Hamm leaves a wife and three children. Cause of the difficulty—a difference of opinion.

The Czar said to his preserver, "M. Raimbeaux, there are in my empire sixty millions of people; no one of these is at this hour ignorant of your name. Judge, then, how you will be received if ever you come to see us at St. Petersburg."

An American, apparently insane, recently created a disturbance in Prague, and was sent to a madhouse. After his release, he said that he pretended insanity so that he might obtain an inside view of the celebrated asylum to which he was sent.

The Rev. S. S. Sykes died at his residence in Montgomery, Alabama, on the 24th. For four years he was the pastor of the Heron Street M. E. Church, and was two years pastor of the M. E. Church at Mt. Meigs, Alabama.

Mr. Motley, United States Minister of Vienna, declined to attend the ceremony of the coronation of the King of Hungary, on the ground that he had been recalled, and he was no longer an accredited minister to the Court of Austria.

In an affray at Owensboro, Kentucky, on Sunday night last, between Mr. Robert A. Bradshaw and Joseph Dyer, the latter was shot through the stomach and fatally wounded. The parties had a quarrel about the shipment of some tobacco and a small wager incident thereto.

The Batesville *Times* of the 28th says a little nephew of Mr. John Moss, of Izard county, accidentally exploded a gun, the ball entering the right temple of Mr. Moss, and passing through the brain, killing him instantly. The deceased was a highly respected citizen of that county.

Among the cotton cases decided by the Court of Claims last Tuesday were the following: Andrew J. Richardson, to the amount of $48,735; Randall & Smith, to the amount of $100,000; Dewitt C. Crowell, to the amount of $1,551; C. D. Gilmore, amount not announced.

The Mobile *Times* says that on Monday night Mr. Johnson, of Enterprise, Mississippi, was shot by a Mr. Wooley, the wound proving fatal. Mr. Johnson, after being shot, seized an ax and killed Wooley and his wife and daughter. Mr. Johnson was a merchant, and one of the firm of Andrews & Johnson.

Peddlers are perambulating the State of Georgia, selling what they style "land scrip" to the colored people. They inform the latter that the Government will in a few days confiscate the lands of the whites and give them to the recent slaves. Certificates of land to be entered upon are sold at prices ranging from one to three dollars each.

The Louisville *Courier*, referring to militia General Cooper's threats against the people of Tennessee, says: Such a scallawag as Cooper might hire a negro on a credit to burn a barn or shoot in at a window, but he is certain to keep his own carcass out of harm's way. His threats are all "sound and fury, signifying nothing," and his courage is Falstaff's by day, and the hole assassin's by night.

A shooting affray in the streets of Baltimore, Tuesday, resulted in the death of Columbus Fornshall, keeper of a restaurant, No. 92 West Baltimore street, by Frank. Hart, a printer engaged in the *Gazette* office. The cause of the difficulty was the alleged slandering of Fornshall's wife by Hart, who boarded in the former's house. Fornshall accused Hart of circulating slander, which the latter denied, when Fornshall knocked him down. Hart then drew a pistol and shot his assailant, killing him almost instantly.

The National Bank of Chattanooga, which was chartered at the last session of the Tennessee Legislature, has just been organized and gone into operation. William H. Harris, formerly of Toledo, Ohio, but for some years a resident of Chattanooga, is the President of the new institution.

The Charleston Savings Bank has been seized by General Sickles, for failure to pay full principal and interest to certain United States soldiers of Fort Moultrie garrison, who were its depositors when the war commenced. The bank is insolvent, and, in liquidation, its directors refuse to consider these depositors as preferred creditors.

Mrs. Mary L. Schell has a suit, in California, against General Henry M. Nagiee, for $100,000 damages, for breach of promise of marriage. Recently, the fair plaintiff placed a large quantity of the defendant's letters in the hands of a publisher, to be printed in a pamplet form. The General objects to this, and has obtained an order of court enjoining the parties not to publish the letters.

A man named Aaron Meyer was arrested a few days ago at San Francisco for stealing $1,300, and the abduction of a girl named Decklin Miller. He left under charge of an officer, on the requisition of the Governor of New York, but when near Vera Cruz he jumped overboard and swam ashore, and is supposed to have made his way back to San Francisco.

General Sherman has issued a general order regulating military operations against the Indians. The troops raised by States and territories must be mustered into service according to act of Congress, and act in connection with the regular troops. Independent action on the part of a State or territory is forbidden, though thieving bands may be pursued by local companies. Treaties are to be respected.

MEXICO.

Intercepted Imperial Correspondence—Views of Maximilian.

Mr. Romero, the Mexican Minister at Washington, has furnished the following captured letters for publication:

MAXIMILIAN TO MINISTER LARES.
MEXICO, February 9.

MY DEAR MINISTER DON TEODOSIO LARES: The actual situation of Mexico deeply affects me. Every plan that is now adopted within a year to end our civil war, only makes it rage the more; and everywhere that an attempt is made to consolidate our empire, torrents of blood are poured out without obtaining the least advantage therefrom. It was hoped that when the empire got rid of the French intervention, our course of action would be felt in a different manner in favor of the peace and well being of the whole people. Unfortunately the contrary has taken place; and the ever lamentable defeats of San Jacinto and Monte de las Cruces, instead of serving to undeceive us fix indelibly two of the bitterest recollections of the empire.

Great advantages were promised to result from the experience, fact, loyalty and prestige of Generals Mejia, Miramon and Marquez. The first has left the service under the pretext that his health is bad; the second has, in his first battle, wasted, almost without fighting, all the resources placed at his command; and the last, after having committed extortions, accompanied by the most violent measures against the industrious and peaceable classes of the people, got up an expedition that was ill planned, and the bloody results of which will never be sufficiently well weighed.

Meanwhile, as the treasury is empty, it becomes necessary to raise forced loans so as to carry on certain branches of the public administration. These forced loans become impracticable, even when appealing to vexatious processes and to decrees levying extraordinary taxes. These latter become more odious that productive.

On the other hand, the Republican forces, which were wrongly represented as disorganized, demoralized, and kept up solely by the hope of pillage, convince people by their conduct that they are a homogeneous army, whose stimulous is the courage and perse erance of one chief, who are animated with the grand idea that they are defending their national independence, which they believe to be placed in jeopardy by the establishment of our empire. In so critical a situation of affairs the resource of popular suffrage can no longer avail, because it would result in nothing but a vote from the few inhabitants in places occupied by the Imperial arms. The opportunity for such an appeal has passed, and we must now give it up altogether.

I have ordered a suspension of arms with Mexico to the effect that I shall never be the occasion of spilling any more blood. The honor of my name, and the immense responsibility that weighs upon my conscience, both in the presence of God and of history, have fixed my resolution not to delay bringing evils so great to a stop at once. Hence, then, I await with the anxiety called for in this case, your advice as to the measures that you may deem opportune so as to settle the existing crisis in harmony, with the ideas which I set forth in this letter; and you must look solely to the welfare and prosperity of the Mexican people, leaving entirely out of the question all interest both of a political and personal nature. I remain yours,

MAXIMILIAN.

A ROMANCE IN A HOTEL.

A Mysterious Lady Makes an Offer of Marriage to a Young Waiter—Singular Sequel.

From the St. Louis Republican, June 23.]

On Sunday last a well dressed, somewhat pale, but pleasant looking lady arrived at one of our prominent hotels. She occupied an aristocratic apartment on the third floor, and was treated with due deference by the proprietor and attaches of the hotel. She remained much in her room, and appeared to have no friends nor acquaintances in this city. We now come to the strange part of the story, which we give without offering any explanation. Among the waiters employed at the hotel was one young man, of low size, but not bad looking. He had occasion several times to carry things up to the lady's room, and during his visits they became almost intimate, but the timorous young waiter, who is evidently unsophisticated in the ways of the world, and somewhat bashful in disposition, was not at all prepared for what followed. On Monday forenoon, as this young man was passing the lady's door, she called him in and shut and locked the door behind him. She then engaged him in conversation, and, in a few minutes, without offering any explanation of the strange proposition, asked him if he would marry her, saying that if he would consent, she would give him one hundred dollars down, and made abundant promises of more. She made no profession of love, and it was evident her singular proposition was made for some purpose only known to herself.—The young waiter was taken considerably by surprise and thrown into great confusion of mind, which, under the circumstances, is hardly to be wondered at. The offer was tempting, but, like Don Juan, he had some fair Haidee in his head, and instead of embracing the opportunity he hesitated and demurred, and the interview was finally closed, without any definite answer being returned, the lady giving him at parting five dollars and a gold ring, and arranging to meet again.

Trouble, however, was in store for the young waiter. One of his comrades had seen him enter the lady's room, and this faithless friend posted off and informed the proprietor of the hotel, who immediately became highly indignant and gave the unlucky boy, whom the fates seemed to have conspired to plague, ten minutes to leave the house, and so he was compelled to go, and saw no more of the mysterious lady who had offered to marry him.

We now come to the sequel of this strange affair, and in which, probably the key to the mystery will be found.

On Tuesday our inexplicable heroine became a mother. Medical assistance was procured, and everything was done possible to minister to her wants. On the following day the child died, and was quietly removed from the hotel and interred, and the young mother remained secluded in her room, shrouded in romantic and interesting mystery. We have no desire to pursue the matter further, but must again refer to the unfortunate waiter. Since his dismissal from the hotel, the young man has experienced a revulsion of feeling, and now, it is said, begins to think he has acted rather foolishly, and it is probable that, were the proposition of last Sunday renewed, there would be little hesitation of his part.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MONDAY'S NOON DISPATCHES.

EXCITING NEWS FROM MEXICO.

Maximilian Executed on June 19th.

The Request for his Body is Refused.

The City of Mexico has Surrendered.

The City of Vera Cruz Still Holds Out.

Governor Brownlow on the Rampage.

He Issues Another Proclamation.

And Appoints Officers of Elections.

The Indian Depredations Increasing.

Five Thousand Sioux on the War Path.

General Custar and Party Killed.

WASHINGTON, July 1.—The following was received by Count Weidenbruck, the Austrian Minister, from Southwest Pass, Louisiana, via New Orleans:

"I came from Vera Cruz to telegraph you the condemnation and death of Maximilian, on the nineteenth ultimo. President Juarez refuses to deliver his body.

(Signed) "GROTIER THIEF,
Captain Austrian sloop."

Count Weidenbruck is absent from the city at present. To-day, his secretary sent a dispatch to the Emperor Francis Joseph, of Austria, and the Emperor Napoleon, announcing Maximilian's execution.

The event produced a great deal of excitement here among the foreign Ministers. The residence of the Austrian Minister has been visited, to-day, by nearly all of these officials, who called to obtain the latest intelligence.

The following dispatch was received by the Secretary of the Navy to-day, giving the news of the event:

UNITED STATES STEAMER TACONY,
VERA CRUZ, June 25, 1867.

Hon. Gideon Welles, Secretary of the Navy:

SIR: Maximilian was shot on the 19th instant. I begged hard for the corpse, for the Austrian Captain, and was refused.

The City of Mexico surrendered on the 25th. Vera Cruz still holds out.

WASHINGTON, July 1.—Members of Congress are arriving by every train; eight or ten from the West came yesterday, and some of these report others from that section on the way hither, and are confident a quorum of both Houses will be in Washington on Wednesday. The attendance of Democratic members to their places on that day, and manner to roll call, will secure a quorum for business. There is no doubt but the Republican members now here have agreed that a bill supplementary to the Reconstruction act ought to be passed, to clearly define the powers of the military commanders, but the way and form is yet to be determined.

Judge Swayne, of the Supreme Court, lies at the point of death.

NASHVILLE, July 1.—Judge Gaut, Chairman of the Conservative Central Committee, recently addressed a circular to the County Courts, requesting them to appoint officers to hold the State elections, assuming that the law giving them the power had not been repealed. Governor Brownlow issues a proclamation this morning, declaring that the County Courts have no authority to act as registrars; that the power to appoint officers to hold elections has been taken from them and conferred on the Commissions of Registration. He denounces the circular as seditious, wicked and revolutionary, and warns the County Courts against acting upon its advice, as they will thereby themselves liable to punishment. He concludes by ordering General Cooper to dispose of the militia under his command so as to inforce the franchise law in its letter and spirit.

The political excitement in Tennessee is becoming animated and excited. A merchant named Rice was killed at Johnsonville, Saturday. Politics was the cause.

NEW YORK, July 1.—A Western special says there is no sign of a speedy end of the Indian war. Five thousand Sioux are on the war path. Five thousand more will join them if Union agents stop the disturbances. It is reported that General Custar has been overpowered and killed.

WASHINGTON, July 1.—Ex-Minister Campbell has arrived here. His resignation was caused by the Government refusing to place a vessel at his command to convey him to Mexico, he being too ill to undertake the journey by land.

A SNAKE STORY.

Thrilling Encounter With a Den of Black Snakes.

From the Boonsboro (Md.) Odd Fellow.]

Professor J. Mitchell, the celebrated "South Mountain Wizard," while out gunning last Friday, had a most thrilling adventure with a den of black snakes, known as "racers," from which he narrowly escaped with his life. As is his habit, the professor had taken his favorite canine and gone into the mountains after squirrels. The best part of the forenoon had been spent in beating through the brush and over the rocks without meeting with any adventure, and but ordinary success in procuring game, etc. Suddenly, however, he came to a ledge of rocks about a mile from the South Mountain house. Stopping a moment to take a survey of the surroundings, he saw a large black snake stretched out on a log sunning himself. He at once took up a couple of stones and threw one at his snakeship, but unfortunately missed him. This aroused the snake, and in an instant he uncoiled himself, and stood with his head erect, as if indignant at this interruption, and at the same time gave a loud, shrill hiss, or, rather, a whistle. The professor delivered his second stone with such precision as to mortally wound his enemy. No sooner, however, had he thrown the stone when he heard a fearful rustling among the brush to his left, and another whistle louder and shriller than the first. Turning his eye in the direction from whence came the noise, he saw a monstrous black snake (a racer) coming directly toward him, with his head erected about five feet from the ground, and his forked tongue darting from his distented jaws as if bent on fight. The professor (who is an acknowledged crack shot) immediately raised his carbine, fired, and had the proud satisfaction of seeing the monster snake roll over in the agonies of death—having split his head open with the ball. This proved but the commencement of the battle; for before the professor had time to congratulate himself upon his success in vanquishing two of his foes, a third one, measuring eleven feet in length, and thick in proportion, had approached to within a few feet of him, his head erect, hissing, and darting his tongue out in a manner to appal the stoutest heart. To retreat was out of the question; a fight was the only alternative, and, quick as thought, he leveled his carbine at the snake's head, but, unfortunately, missed it, at the same time dropping it (his carbine) upon the ground. With the rapidity of lightning, the black snake attacked the professor, and commenced winding his slimy coil around his legs and body tighter and tighter at every coil of his loathsome form, until the professor was unable to move a foot. His efforts to extricate himself from the "coils" of death—as they seemed to him—were unavailing, for, with every effort the folds tightened, and the work of respiration became difficult. Death stared him in the face, and made the cold chills of horror and agony creep over his body. It was a fearful moment—a moment of the most intense horror and agony, that made the flesh creep, the blood chill, and the hair literally to "stand on end like quills upon a fretful porcupine." Nothing but his great presence of mind saved him from strangulation and a loathsome death. Recollecting that his hunting knife hung by his side, he seized it and with his nerves braced by despair, drew it across the body of the snake, severing it at a stroke. The coils relaxed, the snake dropped dead at his feet, and the professor was free again. By this time he heard a great rustling in the bushes and the dry bark cracking in every direction, accompanied by loud, shrill, angry hisses and whistling as if the whole surrounding woods were filled with snakes.

Deeming discretion the better part of valor, he hastily grabbed up his carbine, girthed his hunting knife, and beat a precipitate retreat. The professor was pursued by the black snakes for some distance, but being in a hurry he had no time to look back and count their numbers. He says that had they came one at a time he would not have retreated, but to attack him by companies, brigades and divisions, was enough to frighten any man.

We have endeavored to get the facts as narrated by the professor himself. Mr. Mitchell is well known in this community, and we have no reason to believe the facts have been exaggerated. We have since been informed that this species of snake is very plenty in the mountains, and have frequently been known to attack persons who intrude in their dens.

HANGING AT FRANKLIN, KY.

Execution of King and Owens, the Train Robbers.

They Strongly Protest Their Innocence.

The Biography of the Prisoners.

From the Louisville Courier.]

William P. King and Abraham Owens, the celebrated train robbers, were executed at Franklin, Kentucky, on Friday. At eleven o'clock a.m., they were taken from the jail to the place of execution, about half a mile east of the town, on the Louisville and Nashville railroad. Besides the Sheriff and his assistants, they were guarded by Company F of the 2d United States Infantry, commanded by Lieutenant Maize, and by twenty citizen guards, armed with double barreled shotguns, rifles and pistols, under the command of Captain R. B. Finn. The prisoners lighted their cigars and got into a wagon with the Sheriff and his deputies, and the procession moved.

Between three and four thousand persons, old and young, assembled to witness the execution. Delicate women, who would scream at the sight of a spider, came many miles through the dust, and stood in the broiling sun for hours to see the poor wretches hung.

Arrived at the scaffold at 12 m. Owens was the first man on it, ascending the ladder with firm step, and bowing to the crowd. He was followed by King, the sheriff, ministers, and members of the press, who were provided with seats on the scaffold.

The Rev. Mr. Horn, of the Baptist church, sung the hymn commencing:

"Have pity, Lord, oh Lord, forgive,
Let a repenting rebel live."

Both prisoners joined in the singing of the hymn. After which the Rev. Mr. Rodford offered a solemn prayer.

Captain King made the first speech, during which he was very much excited, stamping his feet frequently. He charged Griff. Wright, a witness, with swearing away his life. He closed by saying: "I now say, before God and man, I am innocent of my brother's death. Had I killed him I would not have been here to-day. No one could have caught me; I am too smart for them. If Abe Owens is guilty let him suffer. I once said I thought he was guilty. It is easier to die if you are guilty, for then you know you deserve death, and will be reconciled to it. But to die innocent is terrible. Perhaps it is all right. God may, and doubtless has a providence to fulfill in my death. It may save many lives; it may prevent many crimes. I am prepared and willing. I wish I had died in my infancy. All of us have sinned. Let him that is blameless cast the first stone, for under divine law we are all guilty.

Owens next spoke fifty-five minutes, during which time he repeated the substance of his speech several times. He paused frequently to enable the reporters to keep up with him. At times he was really eloquent, and was perfectly self possessed all the time. He denounced his enemies in the most withering terms, and joined King in denouncing Griff. Wright as a perjured man. He closed by addressing himself to the counsel for the prosecution. Turning to them, he said:

"We held you at bay for a long time, but you have got us at last. I die happy, for I believe I am going to Heaven. It must be easier to die innocent than guilty. You can hang me on this gallows, you can hang me hoek up to yon willow, and let me hang there until the birds of the air eat the flesh from my bones and build nests in my skull, but that is all you can do. Thank God, you cannot kill my soul. You may believe of me what you like, but all your belief will not make me guilty. I die an innocent man. You murder my body, but my soul is beyond your power." Riley Tow and Griff. Wright were hired to swear away my life. Tell them I forgive them."

The Rev. Mr. Haswell then made the closing prayer. At five minutes before two o'clock p.m., the doomed men took leave of those around them, requesting that their bodies be given to their friends.

After the caps were drawn over their faces, Owens said, "good bye, Billy! This is what they have been after a long time." "Yes," said King, "and they have got it at last." Owens remarked repeatedly, "hold up your head, Billy."

At precisely two o'clock p.m. the drop fell. Owens died almost instantly, but King lived twenty-two minutes. His neck was not broken, he having requested the Sheriff to adjust the rope in such manner that it would not break it. Up to the last moment they declared their innocence and maintained the courage and nerve that had characterized them from the first. They had no thought of hope of a reprieve before leaving their cell.

The large crowd was quiet and orderly. One young woman became hysterical during Owens' remarks, and shouted "glory to God," and exhorted all to get religion.

Wm. P. King was the eldest son of Peter King, who intermarried with Elizabeth Newman, and was born in Macon county, Tennessee, on the twenty-seventh day of February, 1836. His father was a brother-in-law of Z. Casey, who was Governor of Illinois, and filled many public offices of trust and honor, not only in that State, but was also elected to Congress on several occasions. Peter King emigrated from Macon county, Tennessee, and settled in Simpson county, this State, in the year 1850. He had the reputation of having been a peaceable and quiet citizen, and was killed by the accidental discharge of a pistol in the hands of a gentleman in Franklin, some three years ago. His son, Wm. P. King, who is the subject of this notice, joined the Federal army May 1, 1864, and was Captain of company F, fifty-second regiment, Kentucky volunteers, which was commanded by Colonel John Grider and Lieutenant Colonel Sam Johnson. His military career is stated to have been anything but enviable. He is represented as having been the most cool, cold hearted and bloodthirsty demon that ever disgraced the form of manhood. He has frequently been known to lead out and shoot Confederate prisoners of war simply to gratify his insatiable appetite, that had grown morbid for blood, and would chuckle and laugh like a fiend at their excruciating sufferings, even in the agonies of death. Inoffensive, noncombatant citizens he also, on several occasions, put to an ignominious death, simply because they failed to doff their hats or refused to take a drink of whisky at his bidding. He was five feet seven inches high, sandy colored beard, auburn hair, with cold, sinister gray eyes, and weighed 145 pounds.

Abraham Owens was born in October, 1842, in the county of Macon, State of Tennessee. His father, Wm. Owens, moved to Simpson county, Kentucky, in the year 1853. He has the reputation of being an industrious and honest farmer. Abraham was his third son, and he joined the Federal army as private in company H, Fifth Kentucky cavalry, December, 1861, where he served till the war closed in 1865. His military career was not marked by anything deserving of particular notice, but he was generally regarded as a brave man and reliable soldier. He was decidedly good looking, had very fair, smooth, and soft skin, gentle blue eyes, auburn colored hair and mustache; was five feet nine inches high, and weighed 160 pounds.

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FRESH CORNMEAL,
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CORPORATION NOTICES.

Attachment Suit.

Thomas Fitzpatrick vs. R. J. Webster.

THIS plaintiff, on affidavit that the defendant is justly indebted in this, and is a non-resident of this State, and have the residence from P. D. Mosely, a justice of the Peace for Shelby county, Tennessee, an original attachment against the estate of the defendant returnable before R. A. Thompson, Esq., on the 20th day of April, 1867, and the same having been served on the defendant's property, it is ordered by the court that the defendant appear before the said R. A. Thompson, J. P. for Lauderdale county, Tenn., at the Court House in Ripley, on the 20th day of January, 1868, and plead to said attachment suit, or the same will be proceeded with as provided by law. And that this order be published four weeks in the Memphis Weekly Avalanche. This April 27th, 1867.

R. A. THOMPSON,
Justice of the Peace for Lauderdale county, Tenn.

Public Parks.

Be it ordained by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen:

That, from and after the passage of this ordinance, it shall be unlawful to hold assemblages of any kind in Court or Market Squares, and that the keepers of said Squares are instructed to prohibit the same, and report the occurrence to them for any time occurring in their hearing.

Approved May 31, 1867.

W. O. LOFLAND, Mayor.

Attest—L. B. RICHARDS, City Recorder.

Privilege Ordinance.

Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen:

That from and after the passage of this ordinance, privilege licenses for the following business occupations shall be as follows:

For peddling fruits each person shall pay twenty dollars annually.

Stock insurance companies, or every person engaged in said business, shall pay one hundred dollars annually.

Outdoor exhibitions, for gain, shall pay twenty dollars quarterly.

Shows or exhibitions within doors, for gain, shall pay one hundred and fifty dollars quarterly.

On all sums imported over one hundred thousand dollars of groceries, fifteen dollars; and other merchandise, twenty-one dollars for each additional ten thousand dollars shall be paid by every firm or person doing business.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances coming in conflict with any of the provisions of this ordinance, be and the same are hereby repealed.

Approved May 31, 1867.

W. O. LOFLAND, Mayor.

Attest—L. B. RICHARDS, Register. jun 104

City Pound.

Be it ordained by

WANTS.

A FURNITURE WANTED—To trade the feather and Hair Mattress business, also Dentistry in all its branches. Parties wishing to engage with a young man who would like to learn the business will find a good situation with no pay and lodging, by calling on ANTHONY SCHLITTER, No. 60 Main street. jan27

WANTED—The owner of a New Trunk with red lining which I picked up on Washington street last night. Call on 318 Poplar street, describe property, pay me cash for this notice, and get the trunk.

S. A. McGINNIS,
318 Poplar street.
jan15 1 d

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—A Dwelling House on Promenade street, No. 6, one story, three and a half rooms, with cistern, gas, etc. The premises are in every way desirable. Rent low. Inquire of S. W. WICKERSHAM.
jan9-tw Southeast corner of Third and Jefferson streets.

FOR RENT—Residence, No. 800 Main street; five rooms and basement; and servant's room. None but a good tenant need apply. Terms made known on the premises. jan26-d

FOR RENT—A nice RESIDENCE on Beal street, south side, third door west of Orleans street, within one square of the Beal street cars. Rent low. Object, a good tenant until 1st of December. Apply at Alston, Brooks & Co.'s, Washington and Second streets; or to W. ALSTON,
jan26-d 20 Main street.

FOR RENT—Four nice Sleeping Rooms. Any one wanting a good and pleasant room can get one cheap by early application to FRANK SAL. ADAMS,
jan24-w No. 7 Adams street.

FOR RENT—If you want a neat COTTAGE with five rooms, a good cistern, situated in a neat and healthy locality, then call at Avery street, 5 & 2d, without delay. jan

FOR RENT—STORE and OFFICES in Bendell's new block, corner of Second Court and Main streets. Apply in the building to P. C. BETHELL, or to S. W. WALKER, Pa. Rooms No. 1 and 2. mar6

FOR RENT—The back ROOM on fourth floor of AVALANCHE counting room.

BOARDING.

BOARDING—For rent, with board, a large, airy, front room, in the house northwest corner Second and Monroe streets No. 191. Apply on the premises, up stairs, to Mrs. SMITH. jan1

BOARDING—A pleasant ROOM, with board, for a gentleman and lady, at reasonable rates; also, a few day boarders can be accommodated, at No. 394 Second street, between Gayoso and Beal streets. References exchanged. jan31d

FOR SALE OR LEASE.

FOR SALE—Three BRUNSWICK BILLIARD TABLES, in good order, all complete. Apply to MONBARRAT & HOUTGOMERY, 373 second street, Ayres' Block.

FOR SALE—A large, first-class, WATER-TANK, in good order. Apply at this office. mhi5-tf

REWARDS.

$10 REWARD—STRAYED—One large SORREL MULE with short tail, halter burned on left face feet, saw on the left side of his back, eyes sunk deep in his head. The above reward will be paid if the above described mule is left at Forrest's Stable, on Adams street.

FRED A. MYERS.

SPECIAL NOTICES, ETC.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the firm of HICKS & SMITH was dissolved February 19, A. D. 1867, and that the undersigned has a deed of trust on the stable, stock and appurtenances, to secure the sum of $1,200, and the public are warned against trading for said stock, etc., as the same is now in litigation. [feb27] R. E. SMITH.

NOTICE—OFFICE HUMANITAS INSURANCE COMPANY, MEMPHIS, June 28, 1867.—The annual election for elected Directors of the Company will be held at the office of the Company on MONDAY, July 8, proximo, between 10 o'clock a.m. and 2 p.m. JEFF MAY,
jel0-td Secretary.

NOTICE—An Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Western Life Insurance Company will be held at the office of the Company in the city of Memphis, on the FIRST TUESDAY OF JULY, at four o'clock p.m., for the election of Directors for the ensuing year. BEN MAY,
jel0-td Secretary.

MOTH AND FRECKLES—The only reliable remedy for ALL those troubles, discolorations of the skin, is PERRY'S Moth and Freckle Lotion. Prepared only by PERRY, DAVIS & SON, Druggists, 49 Bond street, New York. Sold by all druggists in Memphis and elsewhere. Price $1 per bottle. jel1-6m

NOTICE—To the Creditors of Michael Garrity—I will apply at the July term of the County Court of Shelby for letters of administration on the estate of Michael Garrity, deceased.

MARTIN GARRITY.
jel-lawtf

NOTICE—All persons having claims against the estate of John Morlock, deceased, will present the same, authenticated in due form, and those having accounts or notes due or debted to the estate will come forward and make payment.

CHARLES MORLOCK,
Administrator, etc.
jel-lawtf

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR SENATOR—We are authorized to announce Hon. JOHN W. SMITH as a candidate for re-election to the Senate from Shelby and Fayette counties. aptis

FOR CONGRESS—We are authorized to announce Hon. JNO. W. LEFTWICH as a candidate for re-election to Congress. aptis-d

TUESDAY, : : : : : : : : : : JULY 2, 1867

We are not at all surprised at the bitter hatred which our naturalized fellow citizens manifests toward Governor BROWNLOW. He has ever been the traducer of the foreigner. While editor of a notorious newspaper at Knoxville, Tennessee, he poured out an unceasing torrent of calumny upon the strangers in our midst, who had sought an asylum from oppression upon our shores, and who were industriously endeavoring to make an honest support for themselves and families. He wrote column after column to belittle and degrade the foreigner; and met his comrades in filthy dens and dark alleys to conspire against this peaceable and unoffending class of our fellow citizens, while they were at home quietly reposing after the day's hard labor. His paper was the leading organ of that mean and despicable conspiracy, called Know Nothingism, which has again made its hideous appearance in the shape of the "Union League." Many good men espoused the Know Nothing cause without enmity to the foreigner, and actuated by a conscientious belief that our institutions were endangered by the large influx of foreigners. But Governor BROWNLOW favored Know Nothingism because he hated foreigners, and hence he pelted them with rotten eggs, and endeavored to concentrate upon the weak and defenceless the enmity of the strong. The Jews and the Germans were the especial object of Governor BROWNLOW's hate and scorn. He lost no opportunity to sneer at this class of our fellow citizens. On every occasion he stigmatized them with the foulest epithets. In his celebrated debate with PRYNE, at Philadelphia—the same debate in which he treated the negro as a beast, and especially as a monkey, that should be whipped and flogged and kept in perpetual slavery—he said:

The Jewish anti-slavery gamblers, who put Christ to death, divided our garments, as you recollect, casting lots for them. And from that day to this, whenever you meet with one of these *Abolition* Jews, he is engaged in the *clothing business*, either retailing or wholesaling "ready made clothing."—*P.* 25.

This attack upon the Jews was far fetched and out of place. There was no necessity for this dirty fling—this vile and contemptible slander; but so great was Governor BROWNLOW's hatred toward the Jew and the foreigner, that, while advocating and defending slavery and abusing the poor negro, he could not let the occasion pass without traducing the poor foreigner. In view of these facts, we are not surprised at the opposition which the Jews and Germans manifest toward their slanderer. These people need no defense at our hands from the foul aspersions of Governor BROWNLOW. The general excellence of their character—the high position their country occupies in the world of literature, science and art—the proud pre-eminence it holds as the civilizer of the world, is the best argument which these foreigners can hold up in their vindication from the libels of a hoary-headed maligner. A better educated—a more orderly, peaceable and industrious people do not exist in our midst than those whom Governor BROWNLOW has vilified for the last twenty years. In every community in which they locate, they make themselves felt by habits of prudence, economy, order, peace and industry. Being thrifty, they soon acquire property, and pay taxes for the support of the Government, while none of them are a tax to the country. The air of their fatherland soon pervades their new but far off homes. The obloquy which Governor BROWNLOW has so long endeavored to cast upon these people is as wicked and unjust as it is slanderous, and we are not surprised that they should show their indignation by an intention to cast a united vote against their slanderer.

THE execution of MAXIMILIAN must naturally shock the civilized world. It is an evidence of barbarism that might have been anticipated from some savage government which the benign rays of civilization and enlightened Christianity have never visited, but still grope in the cimmerian darkness of original heathenism. The question irresistibly presents itself, did our Government interpose its offices to prevent such a catastrophe, or to mitigate the retaliatory ferocity of the successful Mexican? Or did it, with folded arms, look coldly on, without an effort to use its influence in behalf of the unfortunate Prince, who, but for the aid JUAREZ derived from the United States, might, and probably would, be now in possession of the country which he aimed to govern for the benefit of its people more than for his own advancement. Its failure to place at the disposal of Mr. CAMPBELL, its Minister, a vessel of war to convey him near JUAREZ, requiring him, in the feeble condition of his health and the disorganized state of Mexico, filled with guerrillas who would have about as much respect for a United States Minister as for the lowest greaser in the country, to travel overland, displayed an indifference to the fate of MAXIMILIAN which is, to say the least of it, strange. Had there been present at the headquarters of JUAREZ a United States Minister to remonstrate against the intended atrocity, the moral influence of his presence and remonstrance might have saved MAXIMILIAN's life. We pass over the inducements held out to MAXIMILIAN to persuade him to give up his hereditary titles, position and prospects, as next of line to the Emperor of Austria, to enter upon the hazardous undertaking of breaking down the ruinous anarchy prevailing in Mexico, and establishing a strong though paternal government; but we cannot pretermit the conduct of NAPOLEON in leaving him to his fate by the withdrawal of his auxiliary forces, and at whose repeated suggestion it was done. If our diplomacy deemed it necessary that the French troops should be withdrawn, the same diplomacy should have stipulated that no such bloody record should stain the annals of the unhappy nation whose faith has never been elevated above the Carthagenian. If, through the instrumentality of men or means derived from the United States, MAXIMILIAN was defeated, although his immediate capture resulted from defection and treason in his own ranks, an insult has been offered to this nation, in this outrage, which merits far more than censure, and demands severe retribution.

The Government of MAXIMILIAN was recognized as the Mexican Government by all the nations of the civilized world, except that of the United States. The life, at least, of the

The Washington correspondent of the New York *Commercial* says: "A proposition will be made, soon after the meeting of Congress, for the repeal of the Southern Military bill, and to throw the whole question of reconstruction over in the long session. It is known already that influential members of the two Houses favor this policy."

The following Commissioners of Bankrupcy have been appointed in this State: First District, Joel A Dewey, Dandridge, Jefferson, county; Second Division, L. S. Towbridge, Knoxville; Third District, J. W. Johnston, McMinnville; Fourth District, W. N. Dougherty, Murfreesboro; Fifth District, Alexander S. Bradley, Nashville; Sixth District, J. Jay Buck, Clarksville; Seventh District, S. W. Hatchett, Huntington, Carroll county; Eighth District, vacant.

The number of Democrats in Congress has been lessened by the death of the Hon. Charles Dennison. Mr. Dennison was a Representative from the Twelfth Congressional District of Pennsylvania. His residence was Wilkesbarre. He was about fifty-one years of age, and had been elected to three Congresses successively, viz: the Thirty-eighth, Thirty-ninth and Fortieth. His votes have been uniformly Democratic, and his repeated re-elections show that his district must be decidedly that way also, and that his successor will be of the same political faith.

Boyd & Co., Solicitors of Patents, 208 Pine street, St. Louis, Missouri, officially report to the AVALANCHE the following patents granted Tennessee, Mississippi, Louisiana and Arkansas inventors for the week ending eighteenth June, 1867: Andrew Carson, Memphis, Tennessee, float on raft; Fred. Seymour, Nashville, Tennessee, instrument for opening sheet metal cans; U. T. Stewart, Fayette county, Tennessee, cultivator; Wm. C. Banks, Como Depot, Mississippi, cotton press; Jos. Adams, New Orleans, Louisiana, machine for fastening bale ties; A. B. Wood, assignor to self, W. W. and W. H. Wood, Hamburg, Arkansas, mechanical power.

The County Courts to Select Judges of Elections.

The following is the official publication of the Chairman of the State Conservative Committee, which has provoked the ire of Governor Brownlow, the news of which will be seen in our noon dispatches, on our first page:

To the County Courts of the State:

Do not fail to appoint judges in all the precincts at your July term. This is required to be done by the County Courts of each county, at the session next preceding the election day, which is the 1st day of August next. Code, sec. 841. The law is not changed on that subject. If this be neglected, as the law is amended in the last franchise act, sec. 10, page 31, the power devolves upon the Commissioner of Registration. Some have erroneously supposed that the power has been taken from the County Courts by that act. Certainly it seems the Commissioner is authorized to appoint in cases when the Sheriffs by the existing law could do so, and that was only in the case the County Court failed to attend to that duty, or the persons they appointed failed to act. See Code, sec. 842. Whatever may have been intended, the act of the 25th of February, 1867, construed with said sections of the Code, admits of no other construction; it is certainly plain—too plain for controversy.

By order of the Central Committee.

JOHN C. GAUT, Chairman.

BY TELEGRAPH

MIDNIGHT DISPATCHES.

WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, July 1.

So far, only about twenty members of both houses of Congress have arrived. About one hundred and twenty, properly apportioned, will be necessary to secure a quorum. The officers employed in the Capitol are confident, from letters and verbal communications, that a quorum of both branches will answer to their names on Wednesday. No Presidential message or Department reports will be submitted.

Thad. Stevens declines an invitation from the city of Baltimore to become a guest of the city, for want of time.

General Sheridan telegraphs to General Grant confirming Maximilian's execution.

NEW ORLEANS.

NEW ORLEANS, July 1.

H. Dewly, of the 4th United States cavalry, arrived yesterday from Indianola, with the yellow fever, and died last night at the St. Charles. This is the only new case reported.

The terms of General Sheridan's order, extending the time for registration indefinitely, excites a pretty severe editorial from the *Picayune*.

The same paper closes an eulogy of Maximilian as follows:

If, as an independent and self governing power, Mexico has one friend left among civilized nations, we are at a loss to know which it is. The very name of Mexico must be obliterated from the roll of nations, and its Indians, like the Camanches and Seminoles, be driven to their holes in the mountains, and there perish from the earth, or we mistake the feelings of American and all other people.

The *Times* says the receipts at the City Treasurer's office average $60,000 per day since the Mayor's repudiation proclamation message was published. On Saturday there was such a demand for the city notes of the class denounced as illegal and fraudulent, by the Military Mayor, that premiums were offered for them. The Message has had an effect unusually stimulating on tax payers.

LOUISVILLE.

LOUISVILLE, July 1.

The river is rising with four feet eleven inches in the canal.

Thermometer 95°. Barometer falling.

The Emerald passed up to-day.

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, July 1.

A cable dispatch from Gibraltar, June 30, gives the arrival of the steamer Quaker City with the excursionists to the Holy Land on board. All were well. The steamer had been delayed at Fayal, but there was nothing in the dispatch indicating that the trip had not been pleasant.

The international games between the various Caledonian clubs of the United States and Canada began to-day. Delegates from Montreal, Kingston, Chicago, Cincinnati and Philadelphia were present. The exhibition continues several days.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK MARKET.

NEW YORK, July 1.

Cotton dull and unchanged; sales, 900 bales; uplands, 26½c. Flour, 20@25c lower; X Western, $10 40@12. Whisky quiet, but steady. Wheat lower; No. 2 Milwaukee, $2 25. Rye nominal, $1 28@1 35. Corn unchanged; new mixed Western, $1 05@1 05. Oats scarce and a shade better; Western, 75@77c. Coffee firm. Rice dull and unchanged. Sugar firm; fair to good refining, 11½@11¾c. Molasses dull and heavy; Porto Rico, 52½c. Pork heavy.

WEEKLY BANK STATEMENT.

Loans, decrease, $342,547,954; decrease, $100,202. Specie, $7,768,900; decrease, $1,630,580. Circulation, $58,542,560; decrease, $60,610. Deposits, $186,218,257; increase, $6,730,087. Legal tenders, $70,174,455; increase, $,358,563.

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET.

NEW YORK, July 1.

Money steady, 4@6c for call loans; sterling 9¼@10½c; gold 38¾; Government steady with a fair inquiry. Stocks opened buoyant, and advanced materially with much excitement, this continued until the second regular board, when a decline was submitted, and lower rates became. At the last open board the market closed steady. Western Union Telegraph shares, 45@45½.

ST. LOUIS MARKET.

ST. LOUIS, July 1.

Tobacco steady. Hemp unchanged. Flour very dull and unchanged. Wheat dull and lower. Corn 54@56c. Oats easier, 76@80c. Rye inactive, $1 02@1 08. Mess pork $21 50. Bacon clear sides 12¼@13c; clear rib sides 11¾c; shoulders 9@9½c

CINCINNATI MARKET.

CINCINNATI, July 1.

Flour dull and a shade lower; family, $12@13. Wheat dull and nominal. Corn dull; No. 1, 74@75c. Oats dull at 66@66c. Rye, $1 18. Cotton dull at 25@25½c. Whisky steady. Pork firm at $21@21 50. Bulk meats in demand at 8@10c, but held ¼c higher. Bacon held at 9¼c for shoulders, 12¼c for clear sides, 17c for South Carolina hams, and 14c for plain hams. Lard dull.

LOUISVILLE MARKET.

LOUISVILLE, July 1.

No tobacco sales to-day in consequence of the fair to-morrow. Flour dull; superfine, $8. New wheat, $2 @2 15. Corn, 80@90; shelled at 65@70 ordered. Oats, 74@75, in bulk. Mess pork, $21 25. Bacon—shoulders, 9¼@9½; clear sides, 12¾, packed; hams, ½c higher. Lard, 11¾. Whisky, 30c, in bond. Kentucky Bagging, 30¼@32½.

NEW ORLEANS MARKET.

NEW ORLEANS, July 1.

Cotton dull. Sales, 350 bales. Low middling, 24. Receipts, 877. Exports, 3,008. No Louisiana molasses or sugar in the market. Cuba molasses dull, quoted at 68@70c. Porto Rico sugar, 14. Flour quiet; superfine scarce; X $11 choice, $10 50. Corn firm; stock scarce. Wheat, $1 20. Oats, scarce, 80. Pork, $23. Bacon brisk; shoulders 10¼@10¾; rib sides, 12; clear, 13@13¾. Lard, tierces, 13¾@13¾; kegs, 13@13¾. Sugar firm; No. 1 rosin $5 50@4 25. Gold, 138½. Sterling, 49@52½. New York sight bills ½ premium.

PETROLEUM VS. COAL.—A stern wheel boat named the Fire King is now lying at the Fulton wharf in Cincinnati, says the *Gazette*, having machinery constructed by which she is to be propelled by steam produced from crude petroleum as fuel. She is furnished with three large sized barrels, into which the petroleum is first placed. These vessels are set up on end, and to which is attached a pipe, running into the fireplace or furnace, perforated with small holes. A small pipe leads from the dome or crown of the boiler into the supplying pipe, conveying dry steam into it. The oil is then turned on by the means of a throttle valve, as is also the supply of steam, and a very small quantity allowed to run. A light is then applied, and the gas from the oil instantly takes fire. As the worm in the fire place becomes heated, the supply of oil is increased to an extent just sufficient to allow of the instant combustion. The boilers, two in number, do not stand on the deck, but rest three feet above the bottom of the hold. As yet she has not been demonstrated a success, but her owners are confident that desideratum will ultimately be obtained.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

To All Whom It May Concern.

AT the August term of the County Court I will apply for letters of Administration on the estate of MILES BROOKS, deceased. All interested parties can be present and contest my application if they see proper.

J. M. BROOKS.
jy2-1w

R. D. HARMAN. B. G. MAYO.

ROCKBRIDGE BATHS,

Rockbridge County, Virginia.

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PASSENGERS by the Virginia Central railroad get off the cars at Goshen depot; eleven miles of staging along a wild, romantic mountain road, lands them at the Baths.

Ball Room, Billiard and Bowling Saloons are upon the premises.

Sulphur and Chalybeate Water, also the use of the Bath, free of charge to visitors.

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R. G. MAYO,
Acting Partner of Harman & Mayo.

J. FULTON TOMPKINS, Superintendent.

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CONSISTING of eleven first-class steamboats from St. Louis to St. Paul. The accommodations on this whole route are of superior order, presenting every inducement of comfort and luxury. These lines connect with all others running eastward or westward. Excursionists to St. Paul can save money by purchasing at the same time return tickets. All requisite information and Through Tickets can be obtained at the Ticket Office, No. 5 Jefferson street, Memphis.

JAMES SPEED, Agent
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IN the Chancery Court of Memphis, Tennessee.

No. 1869—Jacob Toman et al., vs. John Hallum, administrator of Jt. W. Matthews, deceased, et al. Creditor's Bill.

It appearing from affidavit in this cause that the defendant James M. Matthews, a resident of the State of Mississippi, and non-resident of the State of Tennessee; it is therefore ordered that he make his appearance herein, at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tenn., on or before the first Monday in August, 1867, and plead, answer or demur to complainants' bill, or the same will be taken for confessed, as to him, and set for hearing ex parte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week, for four successive weeks, in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy—Attest.

AUGUSTUS ALSTON,
Clerk and Master.

By R. J. BLACK, Deputy C. & M.
FINLAY & KELLAR, Sols. for complainants. jy2-lawtw

HENRY NATHAN,

Importer and Wholesale Dealer in

WINES, LIQUORS, CIGARS, ETC.

No. 23 Jefferson Street,

One Door above Main, MEMPHIS, TENN.
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STATEMENT

OF THE CONDITION OF THE

Merchants' National Bank

OF MEMPHIS,

Memphis, Tennessee, July 1, 1867.

RESOURCES.

Notes and Bills Discounted	$263,712 45
United States Bonds for Securing Circulation	200,000 00
United States Bonds for Securing Governm't Deposits	50,000 00
Banking House and Fixtures	9,149 22
Overdrafts	1,197 07
Premium on United States Bonds	8,778 75
Due from Banks and Bankers	105,126 30
Expense Account and Taxes	10,227 82
	$1,018,563 66

CASH ON HAND, viz:

Legal Tenders	$138,984 00
National Bank Notes	13,570 00
Cash Items, Revenue Stamps, etc	4,330 99
	145,982 99
	$1,018,563 66

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	$500,000 00
Circulation	200,000 00
Due Individual Depositors	305,064 42
Government Deposits	12,500 00
Due Banks and Bankers	72,980 23
Surplus Fund	30,000 00
Profit and Loss (from last Statement	16,000 00
Interest and Exchange	16,236 17
	$1,018,563 66

jy2 J. J. FREEMAN, Cashier.

TWELFTH QUARTERLY REPORT

OF THE

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

OF MEMPHIS, TENN.,

On the morning of the

FIRST MONDAY IN JULY, 1867.

RESOURCES.

Notes and Bills Discounted	$268,629 39
United States Bonds with Treasurer at par	200,000 00
Banking House and other Real Estate	32,500 00
Due from National Banks	$130,629 39
Due from Banks and Bankers	7,310 37
	138,139 76
Overdrafts	4,438 60
Cash on hand	190,866 77
	$834,474 35

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	300,000 00
Surplus Fund	12,500 00
Net Earnings, six months	$41,240 97
Less Premium on Bonds	2,402 62
Less Expenses and Taxes	34,338 62
	2,559 73
	174,709 08
	$834,474 35
Circulating Notes	199,870 00
Deposits	455,901 73
	$655,771 73

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Lumber! Lumber!

A LARGE stock on hand, and PRICES REDUCED 25 to 30 per cent.

Also, CEDAR POSTS and FENCING, SHINGLES, LATHS, DOORS, SASH and BLINDS, at LOW FIGURES.

M. E. & J. W. COCHRAN,
Foot of Washington street.
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R. M. Black, Memphis, Tenn. O. G. Cameron, Late Maysville, Ky. Jas. White, Late Maysville, Ky.

Black, Cameron & Co.,

PRODUCE AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

Charleston Avenue, Near M. & C. R. R. Depot, Memphis, Tenn.

CONSIGNMENTS solicited. Prompt attention given to all business entrusted to our care, and orders for provender and Kentucky supplies filled at shortest notice and at market rates. All orders left at 325 Front street will be promptly attended to. jy2 tf

PEOPLE'S BANK OF TENNESSEE

MEMPHIS.

No. 12 Madison Street.

D. A. SHEPHERD, Cashier. F. W. SMITH, President.
jy2 3m

Removal.

O. C. BOONE & CO.

HAVE REMOVED THEIR OFFICE

To the "Avalanche" Building,

Jefferson st., between Main and Front.

jy2-1m MEMPHIS, TENN

MEGIBBEN & BROTHER,

WHOLESALE

LIQUOR DEALERS,

281 Main St., Memphis, Tenn.
jy2-tf

Union Street Lot for Sale.

WILL be sold cheap for cash a very desirable lot on Union street, 60 by 90 feet. Apply to MORGAN, JARNAGIN & PRAYNER, No. 11 Madison street, or to myself at Memphis and Ohio Depot.

jy2-1m A. JENAPP.

AUCTION.

Sales This Day.

Room Furniture at Auction.

BY MILES & STODDARD.

ON the premises, southeast corner Main and Washington streets, THIS DAY, at 10 o'clock.

A. M. STODDARD,
Auctioneer.
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Great Sale!

By W. E. PASSMORE & CO., Auction'rs

No. 260 Second Street.

FINE MOREDON Ashe silver Ware, consisting of Cups, Napkin Rings, Soup Ladle, Cream Ladle, Knives and Forks, Spoons, etc., etc.; also, Silver Plated Ice Pitchers, Castors, cake baskets, etc.; also, a large assortment of Household Furniture, Pianos; also, a lot of Window Blinds, Refrigerators, etc., etc. jy2-1t

A. S. LEVY & CO.,

AUCTION AND COMMISSION

NO. 230 SECOND STREET,

Sales every day. Quick sales and prompt returns. jel 3m

The Buntyn

HOMESTEAD LANDS

FOR SALE.

WHERE the choice of pickings on the market these very desirable and valuable lands, as well known to the community as the Homestead Tract of the late Gervaise Kenyon, Esq., situated at the first station on the Memphis and Charleston railroad, five miles east of the city. The improvements on the above named tract of land, both large and small, erected by Hume F. Hill, Esq., who now resides upon the premises. The balance of the tract, consisting of about 60 acres, has been laid off in lots varying in size from five to ten acres, fronting upon broad avenues, and laid off so as to command a splendid view of the Memphis and Charleston railroad. The trains of the Memphis and Charleston railroad afford the opportunity of going to and coming from the city from four times a day, so as to make a residence at this point almost as convenient as to live in the city limits.

The entire can now be had of lots wholly or part in original forest, or in field.

IN EXCHANGE FOR CITY PROPERTY.

The premises are directed by the will to sell this place and invest in city property, and we will receive propositions to exchange for other improved or vacant lots in the city.

To all parties looking for a suburban residence, we do not think any property more desirable can be found, in regard to health, convenience or good neighborhood, within the same distance from the city.

The terms will be made very liberal and easy, and the prices low to parties desirous of buying for occupation.

Plans of the subdivision will be shown at our office.

jy2-1t ROYSTER, TREVEVANT & CO.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

MERCHANT TAILORING!

POWER & McGEOY,

MERCHANT TAILORS

238 Second Street.

WE are always on hand a choice stock of

FRENCH CLOTHS, CASSIMERES,

VESTINGS AND LINENS.

☞ We will Make to Order, at Reduced Prices, at our old stand, 238 Second street. jy2-tm

Memphis and Charleston Railroad.

TRAINS leave as follows (city time): Through Express 6:10 a.m.; Through Mail, 6:10 p.m.; Somerville accommodation at 3:40 p.m. Trains arrive as follows: Through Express, daily, 6:45 p.m.; Through Mail, 1:40 p.m.; Somerville accommodation, 8:10 a.m.

Express connects at Grand Junction with afternoon trains on the Mississippi Central Railroad for Holly Springs, Water Valley, Grenada, Jackson, Vicksburg, Meridian, New Orleans, &c., &c.

At Corinth, for Okolona, Columbus, Miss., Mobile, Ala., etc.

At Decatur for Columbia, Nashville, Louisville, Cincinnati etc.

At Chattanooga, for all points in Eastern Alabama, Georgia, North and South Carolina, Virginia, Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York, etc.

Through Mail connects at Grand Junction with Trains for Bolivar, and Jackson, Tenn.

At Decatur, for Athens, Ala., Pulaski, Columbia, Nashville, etc.

At Chattanooga, trains connect for same points as by express train. Baggage checked through.

For tickets and further information, apply at the office, corner Main and South Court streets.

J. LOUD, General Superintendent.

A. A. BARNES, General Ticket Agent.

S. H. BUCK, Passenger Agent.
July 2

SAYRE, PLUMB & CO.,

Manufacturers and Dealers in

SADDLERY

SADDLERY HARDWARE

142 Poydras Street,

NEW ORLEANS, LA

DIXON & CO., St. Louis, Mo. J. O. FORD & CO., Memphis, Tenn
July

BARTLETT'S

PATENT POLAR REFRIGERATOR

—AND—

WATER COOLER COMBINED

IS the best and only perfect PROVISION PRESERVER in the world, and will keep Meats, Fish, Milk, Vegetables Fruits, &c., longer, sweet and colder, with LESS ICE, than any other Refrigerator in use.

THE POLAR REFRIGERATOR

is the only one patented having a condensing surface exposed to the external atmosphere, to extract the moisture and impurities from the air. Sold only by

jy2-1t McKINNEY, BRYSON & CO.

LOOK OUT, CHOLERA!

Captain Wright's Cholera Medicine,

THAT has given a death blow to Cholera in every case where it has been used, can be had at the Drug Stores of

J. P. DRUMGOOLE & CO., corner of Main and Beal streets.

G. W. JONES & CO., 197 Main street.

OVERTON DRUG STORE, Overton Hotel Building.

Also, at McCLAIN & CO.'S Boat Store, foot of Jefferson street.
jy28-1m

Grand Fourth of July Entertainment

Corner of Adams and Third Streets.

OPEN AIR EXHIBITION.

EIGHT SPLENDID BALLOONS.

FRANK DONALDSON and LE PETIT ANGELO in their wonderful (by request) acts.

Races in Sacks for prizes. Climbing Greased Poles for prizes. Grand balloon Race between the "Grand Duke Alexis," "General R. E. Lee," in the evening. Grand Display of Fireworks. Prizes to the value of $50 to be distributed. Splendid Brass and String Band engaged. Refreshments on the grounds convenient.

Tickets, Fifty Cents, Children half price; Colored Circle, Fifty Cents. Performances to commence at 3 p.m. and 7½ p.m. For further particulars see programmes.

FRANK DONALDSON,
Proprietor.

THEODORE HOERNER,

GRADUATED DRUGGIST

AND

Analytical Chemist.

46 and 47 Beal Street.

DEALER IN

DRUGS & MEDICINES,

Which are warranted pure, fresh and unadulterated.

PAINTS, OILS AND VARNISHES

At as low rates and as good quality as any in the city.

COMBS, BRUSHES AND FANCY ARTICLES

In endless variety.

HAVING recently added to my extensive establishment the finest apparatus for the manufacture of SODA WATER, I am prepared to furnish the Choicest Syrups of my own preparation from pure fruit juices.

THEODORE HOERNER.

P. S.—Prescriptions carefully compounded at all hours.
jan9-1m

A. F. DAVIS,

PRACTICAL HOUSE & SIGN PAINTER.

GILDING, GRAINING, GLAZING,

Paper Hanging, Kalsomining, Etc.

Shop, 33 Gayoso Street, Memphis, Tenn.
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE STATE INSURANCE COMPANY,

OF NASHVILLE.

CAPITAL.....$200,000

FIRE, Marine, Hull and Inland Transportation Risks taken at Reputable Rates. Losses promptly adjusted and promptly paid.

JOHN EICHBAUM, President.
JOSEPH NASH, Secretary. W. J. THOMAS, Vice President.
OWEN, MOORE & WEST, Agents,
Office, 324 Madison street.
jan29-3m

DRY GOODS!

Annual Closing Out Sale

—OF—

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS

—AT THE—

SOUTHERN DRY GOODS EMPORIUM

MENKEN BROTHERS,

NO. 263 MAIN STREET,

CORNER OF COURT.

WITH a view of closing out our present stock of Reasonable Goods, we will sell

We also offer at a sacrifice our entire stock of

Grenadines, Silk Embr'd, 25c.,
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Black Lace Pointes,
Black Lace Pointes,
Black Lace Pointes,

Beginning as low as $0 10.

Figured Linen Lawns, 30c.,
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Fine Linen Toweling, 12 1-2c.,
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Handsome Lawns and Lenos, 20c.,
Handsome Lawns and Lenos, 20c.,
Handsome Lawns and Lenos, 20c.

☞ The Ladies are invited to examine our Stock and Prices.

Planters! Planters!

Wishing to supply their plantations, will find special inducements.

MENKEN BROTHERS,
Memphis, Tenn.
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SECOND DRAWING

OF THE

SOUTHERN ASYLUM LAND CO.

TO BE HELD

AT HERNANDO, MISS, AUGUST, 1867

THE FIRST DRAWING, which took place at Hernando Miss., on the 15th instant, was attended with unusual success, and the interest manifested that a few weeks elapsed for the location of the enterprise to that event. Seventeen thousand dollars worth of lots and lands, and one thousand dollars worth of property was drawn for, under the supervision of gentlemen selected by the ticket holders present. The utmost harmony and good feeling pervaded those present, and, as will be seen by the subjoined certificate of the managers, the affair was conducted to a close in a most gratifying and satisfactory manner:

HERNANDO, MISS., June 15, 1867.

We hereby certify, that the above report of the first drawing of the Southern Asylum is correct, and that the proceedings were characterized by a spirit of fairness and justness unsurpassed by any drawing of which we have any knowledge. The managers of the company placed the tickets and wheels under our sole management and control.

(Signed) J. B. MORRAN,
W. W. CAMPTON,
MORRIS TEVELE,
M. MAGEVENY,
J. MERRIWETHER,
JOHN ATKINSON,
Committee.

J. M. HALL, Clerk.

The prizes drawn on this occasion embraced forty-seven, and consisted of lots in the vicinity of Memphis, Tenn., Corinth, Miss., and Hernando, Miss., deeds to which have been made to the ticket holders. For this, the second drawing, however, we are able to offer our patrons still more attractive inducements to secure themselves in the interest. From a long list of property, many of which has already been advertised to the public, we select the following as our

LIST OF PRIZES

FIRST AND CAPITAL PRIZE.

Colonel N. G. Galloway's valuable residence, corner of Court and Third streets, Memphis, the block only from the center of the city, and in the vicinity of all the Federal, State and county offices. Lot 57½ feet front by 175 feet. Valued at $20,000.

SECOND PRIZE.

A cottage residence of ten rooms, with lot 60x160, in the city of Memphis, on the corner of a car track, like heart of the city, and within one block of the street railroad intersecting every part of the city. Valued at $5,000.

THIRD PRIZE.

One residence lot adjoining above property, 32x100 feet; very available for residence and desirably located. Valued at $600.

FOURTH PRIZE.

One residence lot adjoining above property, 32x100 feet. Valued at $600.

FIFTH PRIZE.

One residence lot adjoining above, also 32x100 feet. Valued at $600.

SIXTH PRIZE.

A most valuable manufacturing site with a perpetual fall of 27 feet of water, situated in Winston county, Alabama, with 320 acres of land. Valued at $5,000.

SEVENTH PRIZE.

The Franklin Female Institute, at Holly Springs, Miss., a handsome and well constructed school building, fronting eighty feet on Main street. This is very desirable property. Valued at $5,000.

EIGHTH PRIZE.

Lot No. 1, in Hays' subdivision, Memphis; size 162x252 feet. A beautiful building lot. Valued at $1,500.

NINTH PRIZE.

Seventy five and a half acres of Woodland near Raleigh, Shelby county, Tenn., fronting on the Macon road. This is very desirable, and an excellent prize. Valued at $1,500.

TENTH PRIZE.

Cottage residence, Fryar-st., 100 North feet, on Harland avenue, near Memphis and Charleston railroad, near corporation limit. Valued at $1,000.

Tickets $5 00 Each.

May be had of, or ordered through, any of the Company's agents, at the Central Agency, Memphis, Tenn., or of General Agents Offices, Hernando, Miss.

Stockholders, Directors and Officers of the Company are prohibited from purchasing or holding tickets in any of the drawings. The Company is simply

THE DAILY AVALANCHE

OFFICIAL JOURNAL OF THE CITY

TUESDAY, : : : : : : : JULY 2, 1867

LOCAL NEWS.

Arrival and Departure of Trains.

MEMPHIS AND CHARLESTON RAILROAD.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Through Express Daily	10:30 P.M.	6:30 A.M.
Through Mail Daily	1:00 P.M.	6:30 P.M.
Somerville Accommodation Daily	9:30 A.M.	3:00 P.M.

MISSISSIPPI AND TENNESSEE RAILROAD.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
New Orleans Express	3:45 A.M.	10:30 A.M.
New Orleans Mail	3:45 P.M.	6:00 P.M.
Freight daily, except Sunday	3:45 P.M.	6:00 P.M.

MEMPHIS AND LOUISVILLE RAILROAD.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Day Express	6:00 A.M.	6:00 P.M.
Night Express	1:30 A.M.	1:40 P.M.

Ticket office, 279 Main, corner of South Court street.

HON. J. W. LEFTWICH'S APPOINTMENTS.

The Hon. Jno. W. Leftwich and others will address their fellow citizens at the following times and places, (commencing at eleven o'clock each day), to-wit:

Somerville, Fayette county, Monday, July 1.
Grand Junction, Hardeman county, Tuesday, July 2.
Saulsbury, Hardeman county, Wednesday, July 3d.
Pocahontas, Hardeman county, Thursday, July 4th.
Bethel, McNairy county, Friday, July 5.
Adamsville, McNairy county, Saturday, July 6.
Huggin's store, McNairy county, Monday, July 8th.
Cotton Ridge, McNairy county, Tuesday, July 9.
Medes, Madison county, Wednesday, July 10.
Denmark, Madison county, Thursday, July 11.
Gadsden, Madison county, Friday, July 12.
Shelby Depot, Shelby county, Saturday, July 13.
Bell's Station, Haywood county, Tuesday, July 16th.
Jagerville, Haywood county, Wednesday, July 17th.
Hart's store, Haywood county, Thursday, July 18th.
Dancyville, Haywood county, Friday, July 19.
Mason's Depot, Tipton county, Saturday, July 20th.
Covington, Tipton county, Monday, July 22.
Portersville, Tipton county, Tuesday, July 23.
Cuba, Shelby county, Wednesday, July 24.
Bartlett, Shelby county, Thursday, July 25.
Galloway, Shelby county, Saturday, July 27.

His opponent, the Hon. D. A. Nunn, is respectfully and urgently invited to be present and participate in the discussion.

SAM. P. WALKER,
Chairman Eighth Central Executive Committee.

Public Speaking in the Seventh Congressional District.

The undersigned, candidates for Congress, will address the people of the Seventh Congressional District at the following times and places, viz.:

Dyersburg, Wednesday, June 26.
Ripley, Friday, June 28.
Trenton, Monday, July 1.
Milan, Tuesday, July 2.
McKenzie, Wednesday, July 3.
Paris, Thursday, July 4.
Huntingdon, Saturday, July 13.
Red Mound, Monday, July 15.
Lexington, Tuesday, July 16.
Camden, Thursday, July 18.
Marlborough, Friday, July 19.
Stevenson's Mill, Weakley county, Wednesday, July 24.
Como, Henry County, Thursday, July 25.

ISAAC R. HAWKINS,
WM. F. CALDWELL.

TO THE COUNTRY PRESS.—The proprietors of the AVALANCHE are prepared to furnish a fine quality of printing ink, black and colored, at Eastern prices, for CASH. In ordering, let the kind of press used be stated. tf

Hard times! "Economize!" To do this, buy your dry goods, clothing, boots, shoes, etc., at Elson's great clearing sale. F,S&T

Cumberland University, Lebanon Tennessee now has eleven Professors; among them Lieutenant General A. P. Stewart, A. M. and J. M. Safford, L. L. D. Next session opens on the first Monday in September. For catalogues address B. W. McDonnold, D. D. President. tf.

Tableau Argentine—the prettiest thing out for tableau dresses—at Elson's. F,S&T

Rev. S. H. Ford will deliver an address on "Temperance," at Greenlaw Hall, on the evening of the stalling the recently elected officers of the different division of Sons of Temperance, to take place this evening, at half past eight o'clock.

LIVE INDEPENDANT, SAVE YOUR MONEY, AND KEEP COOL.—Secure furnished rooms at Southern Hotel, on Europeon plan, and meals from Schwoob's restaurant, attached, at reduced rates. 34

The rush for the cheap, damaged goods is as great as in the start, hence the conclusion that M. Kraus & Co., 213 Main street, near Ward & LeGuere's drug store, must sell their dry goods, clothing, etc., very cheap. tf

The balance of Elson's stock must be sold. Go there and secure bargains. A word to the wise, etc. F,S&T

The talk at street corners, at home, in the cars, and, in fact, everywhere, is: "Have you been to Elson's great clearing sale? If not, you must go immediately, as the great bargains this firm are offering." F,S&T

A shrewd father's advice to his family was: "My dears, buy your dresses at Kraus's. They have the largest stock, and I know it to be the cheapest store in the city." F,S&T

Come, all you economical housewives and get some of the cheap damaged goods before they are all gone. M. Kraus & Co., No. 213 Main street, next to Ward & LeGuere's drug store, have still a few on hand, and must close them out in thirty days. tf

Are bound to sell goods. By an examination of Elson's prices, the most skeptical can be convinced that they always mean what they say and say what they mean. F,S&T

Don't miss the rare chance to buy cheap, at M. Kraus & Co.'s, No. 213 Main street, next to Ward & LeGuere's, will sell their goods, damaged by the late fire, regardless of price and value, in quantities to suit purchasers. Country merchants, plantersand citizens, don't forget. tf

Country merchants in want of job lots, will do well to call at Elson's. F,S&T

Gentlemen who want to buy cloth, cassimeres, ready-made clothing, shirts, drawers, socks, neckties, &c.; in fact, a full and complete stock of furnishing goods, will do well to attend the great closing out sale of damaged goods at M. Kraus & Co.'s drug store, next to Ward & LeGuere's, drug store. tf

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.—On the 1st of July next I will issue executions against all persons who fail to pay their taxes for the fortieth corporate year. Parties in arrears for taxes will save themselves this annoyance and expense by calling at the office and paying up at once, as the law will be strictly enforced against delinquents.

JOHN H. BOWEN,
City Tax Collector.
MEMPHIS, Tenn., June 18, 1867. 2w

Buyers for country stores can find sure bargains at Elson's. F,S&T

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Isn't it astonishing, the way the rush still continues at Elson's great clearing sale? For the past two weeks their large store has been crowded with customers anxious to secure the great bargains this populer concern offer at their great clearing sales (which, by the WAY, have become a fixed feature in the city). Damaged goods are extraordinarily high when compared with the prices which rule at Elson's. Parties in want of good goods, at low prices, will do well to attend to Elson's advertisement. F,S&T

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.—B. Lowenstein & Bros. have further reduced the prices on their entire stock of staple and fancy dry goods. They are also constantly receiving new goods, which they will sell at less than they have heretore been sold in this market. tf

SOMETHING THAT WE CAN'T COMPREHEND.—How it is that Reid & Bro., 15½ Jefferson street, can afford to sell their clothing, furnishing goods, and make clothes to order, at such remarkably low prices in comparison with other houses. If you want to wear good clothes and be economical call on the above firm. 3t

Hard cases of rheumatism can be cured by using the great liniment, Sloan's Liniment. For all external applications its effects are truly wonderful. Price only twenty-five cents. For sale by Ward & LeGuerre, and Nippen & Reakirt.

WM. D'ENCH & Co.,
Proprietors.
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On and after the first of July, our entire stock of spring and summer dry goods will be offered for thirty days ONLY at Eastern cost.

HOWELL, Woop & Co.,
Southern Palace, 332 Main street.

Dolbear's Commercial College, 220 Main street, open day and night. No vacation. New pupils can begin any day. tf

SECOND DRAWING.—The first drawing of the Southern Asylum at Hernando demonstrates the practicability of the plan of disposing of lands by the Southern Asylum. Although a limited amount of property was disposed of, this was owing to the tightness of the money market, the brief time allowed for selling tickets, and the insufficiency of agencies throughout the country. All these last defects are now being remedied, and, in addition, an absolute scheme of splendid prizes is offered which cannot attract the attention of the public and invite investments. The first prize is the magnificent property of Colonel M. C. Gallaway, on the east corner of Court and Third streets, in the very heart of the city. The fortunate drawer of this prize will at once secure a handsome fortune by the investment of a small sum, which is well worth the investment, especially when his chances are still further enhanced by nine other attractive prizes. 1w

THE RACE IN SECTION.

Formation of a First Ward Etheridge Club.

Between four and five hundred men, twice as large a crowd as has attended any Radical meeting held lately, met last night in the upper Hall of No. 6 Engine House. The object was to form a First Ward Etheridge Club, and as there had been very little previous announcement, a large crowd was not anticipated, but the boys poured in and filled the Hall.

Colonel John B. Mosley was chosen Chairman, and I. T. Cartwright, Secretary.

On motion, a committee on permanent organization was appointed, it consisted of Messrs. J. C. Powers, John O'Mahony, Edward O'Neill, Rob't Good, Thomas Winters and P. McMahon.

The committee retired, and during its absence Alderman T. O. Smith made a brief and telling speech. Hon. S. P. Walker followed in a strong speech, which traced the issues involved in the present contest. It was loudly applauded.

Colonel R. D. Baugh made a brief and pointed speech on the necessity for every man doing his duty.

The committee reported the names of gentlemen for permanent officers of the club, President, F. M. Winters; vice Presidents, J. S. Mosely, T. M. Winters, J. C. Powers, Thomas Foley, P. McMahon, John O'Conner, Richard D. Baugh, John Turner; Treasurer, Rob't Good; Secretaries, I. T. Cartwright, Ed. Wright.

Judge Swann being loudly called for, made a happy speech, expressive of his sympathy for the objects of the meeting.

He was followed by Greene F. Foute, Esq., who heartily sustained the movement, and showed that it merited the support of every friend of constitutional law.

Alderman O'Donnell being called out, made a telling speech, and appealed to his countrymen to oppose Brownlow by work and ballot as on every occasion, for hundreds of years, they have resisted and shown their hatred of oppression, Mr. O'Donnell was loudly applauded.

Calahan McCarty followed in a vigorous little speech, and then on motion it was resolved that the club should meet regularly on Friday nights.

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HIS OPPONENT, THE HON. D. A. NUNN, is respectfully and urgently invited to be present and participate in the discussion.

SAM. P. WALKER,
Chairman Eighth Central Executive Committee.

COULDN'T FIND BROWNLOW.—A very respectable black fellow whose name is Reynolds, and who works for Bob Williams, of Tipton county, came into the city to be registered so that he might vote for Brownlow. He went before Viceroy Davis, and duly received his certificate of registration. In the bustle and hurry of registration the promises and directions he had received from the white Radical friends got mixed up in his mind and Reynolds concluded that he was to hunt up Brownlow and give the vote to him, and Brownlow would register him. Reynolds went to Love street he went and down another, asking different persons to tell him where "massa Brownlow lived." Nobody could tell him, and he prudently refrained from telling those from whom he inquired on the streets, that he expected a heap of money. Hour after hour he trudged about but in vain. He was very unwilling to give up the chance of getting the money; at last some jokers told him he guessed they knew something about Mr. Brownlow at the AVALANCHE office, and Reynolds hunted up this office. When informed that Mr. Brownlow lived six or seven hundred miles away, Reynolds knew that something was up, no money could be got, as there wasn't any bank now engaged in stealing school funds for Brownlow's politicians, the poor black wilted. He gave it as his opinion "dat de Radicals were humbuggin' trash anyhow," and declared his intention to start back to Tipton county by "de fust train."

A TRIO OF COMPLIMENTS.—On Saturday last, on the adjournment of the grand jury of the Municipal Court by his Honor Judge Waldron, with a short but highly complimentary address for the manner in which the jury had discharged their duties, W. W. Coleman, Esq., the foreman, responded in a very felicitous little speech on the part of the jury, and concluded with an invitation to the Judge, attorneys and other officers of the court to a splendid lunch, prepared by Madame Anna Engelbrecht, at her restaurant, corner of Monroe and Second streets, at an hour's notice; and if we may judge by the skillful handling of knives and forks and the happiness beaming from the countenances of the twenty gentlemen at the festive board, we feel warranted in saying for them that they felt it was good to be there. The company passed a vote of thanks to the Madame, and promised to call again, and adjourned in good order.

PERSONAL.—We had the pleasure of meeting, on yesterday, our old friend Colonel D. A. Wilson, of New Orleans, the gallant leader of one of Louisiana's crack regiments in the historic Stonewall brigade. It was a satisfaction to notice the great improvement since we last met him in the health of this brave soldier and true man. At the same time we were gratified to meet Alderman James McCloskey of New Orleans, than whom no genial man in that city is more highly esteemed and respected. During the war a gallant soldier of the Confederacy he planned and led the expedition organized in the Red river, composed of the Webb and Queen of the West, which attacked and captured the United States gunboat Indianola, in the Mississippi, one of the most formidable of the gunboats of the Federals. These gentlemen leave this afternoon on the Commercial for Little Rock.

HO! FOR ST. PAUL.—By our advertisements it will be seen that arrangements have been perfected by which the splendid line of packets of the Memphis and St. Louis Packet Company will connect at St. Louis with the packets of the Northern Line Company, plying between that city and St. Paul, and avoiding the possibility of detention. The accommodations of the whole route are superior, and some of the most magnificent scenery on the continent is traversed. St. Paul can be reached by boat in five days from this city, by far the most agreeable mode of traveling. Full information, as well as excursion tickets, can be obtained of our young friend Jimmy Speed, the courteous agent, at No. 5 Jefferson street. We may say en passant, that money can be saved by excursionists by purchasing their return ticket before starting.

CHANCERY COURT.—The following causes are set for hearing to-day:

Flynn vs Cummings, et al, on demurrer.
Ashbaugh, Lynch & Co. vs. same, on demurrer.
Johnson vs Kornbecht et al, on demurrer.
Smith vs Neville et al, on demurrer.
Simms, administrator, vs Simpson et al, on demurrer.
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Dolan et al vs Dolan et al, on demurrer.
Davis vs Davis, on demurrer.
Smith vs Thompson, on motion to dissolve, etc.
Hawley vs Appleton, on motion to dissolve, etc.
Shoonmaker vs Lawrence, on motion to dissolve, etc.
Crystal vs Hardin, on motion to dismiss.
Lee vs Lee, on demurrer.
Penner et al vs Shinn, on demurrer.
Haggerty vs Haggerty, on motion to dissolve.

The following causes, submitted by counsel to the Court, can be had by solicitors on application at the clerk's desk:

Kimbrough vs Pearce et al.
Battle vs Brown.
Smith Bros vs Stewart et al.
Rollin vs Gates et al.

SOMETHING NEW IN THE PHOTOGRAPH LINE.—Within a few weeks a new process of toning photographs has been discovered, and on account of its superior advantages, it has already replaced all other methods. By its use a beautiful purity of surface and life-like tone is given to the photographs, and pictures of this character are the most beautiful, durable and pleasing that have yet been presented to the public, and a uniformity of result, and that is really an improvement in the profession, Mr. Y. Day has thus early secured the valuable method, and is furnishing his patrons with unequaled pictures. A visit to the elegant photograph rooms of Professor Y. Day, at No. 338 Main street, corner of Union, will prove pleasant and satisfactory to every one, who wishes to see and secure the very best of pictures.

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MEMPHIS TURF ASSOCIATION.—A large meeting of the stockholders of this association was held on yesterday. It spoke well for the future success of this interesting enterprise. The following named officers were elected: President, (General N. B. Forrest; Vice Presidents, R. Cockrill, F. G. Mosby-cok and John Donovan; Treasurer, J. W. Megibben; Secretary, J. H. Edmondson. A committee was appointed to confer with Mr. Megibben at the Gayoso House to-night.

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COLORED ROGUES CAUGHT.—Sheriff Winters arrested yesterday Sidney Hunt, a colored man, who is charged with being one of those who recently robbed the watchman of the Gayoso House of thirty-three dollars. This arrest was made in consequence of the receipt of a telegram that the other of the robbers had been caught in St. Louis by officer Morrison.

GREAT SALE AT THE ARCADE, 305 MAIN STREET.—Counters and shelving, sample tables, writing desks, rockaway, buggy, spring wagons, furniture, ice cream freezers, dry goods, boots, clothing, needles, and a great variety of articles, which will positively be closed out this morning, sale beginning at nine o'clock.

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BASKET PICNIC.—On the Fourth of July there is to be a basket picnic and ball and dance at Raleigh springs, a delightful spot it is anticipated. The affair is to conclude with a dance in the evening at the Franklin House. In addition to the dancing and music it is expected that there will be speaking appropriated to the occasion.

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THE BEST PRINTING.—All kinds of job printing, wheat cards, circulars, programmes or other matters, are done in the very best manner at the Franklin Job printing office, on west Court near Main street. This office has the best material, the best of workmen, and a manager who is recognized as thoroughly master of his business.

A SCOUNDREL GOES TO PARTS UNKNOWN.

A Case of Heartless Abandonment.

During the war a petty officer in the Federal army became smitten with the charms of the wife of a worthy, industrious Southern man, who was soon afterwards taken out of his house at dead of night, by Federal soldiers, and shot. It was suspected that the officer instigated the deed, which rendered the wife a widow and two children orphans, but there was no proof of it, and after a time suspicion died out. In the course of a few months the officer became very attentive to the widow, and pressed his suit so that after a time she married him. A child was born of the union, and the family lived happily until about ten months ago, when a strange girl from Illinois came to the house and represented herself as the cousin of the husband, a relationship that he admitted. This girl was very pretty, sly and artful, and the husband paid great attention to her. He walked to church with her, he took her out riding, and he made costly presents to her. This caused no suspicion, as the cousinship accounted for it. The husband carried on extensive business, employing a number of hands, and had such credit that he went in debt to every body. He turned all his wife's property into cash and pocketed it. He got his wife's relations to become his bondsmen to considerable amounts, and, having secured all the money he could, he, a few days since, left for parts unknown. On the day before he left, the cousin went out to do shopping and didn't return. It was undoubtedly arranged between her and the guilty husband that they should meet at some trysting point and go off together. The wife, who is a most worthy woman, is in extreme distress, and has three children to care for. Such cases as this are rare in this section. The guilty parties in this instance both came from Illinois. The absconding husband was quite a strong Brownlowite.

RALLY CONSERVATIVES.

Meeting in the Second Ward To-Night.

There will be a meeting of the Conservative people of the Second Ward, at the Exchange building, at eight o'clock to-night, to organize a Conservative Club. Let every lover of liberty, antagonist of despotism, and advocate of "equal rights" be on hand. Eloquent speakers will be present to address the meeting.

ITEMITAS.

A correspondent says General Runkle made $750 on the house that Flynn bought.

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Chief Engineer Seige of the Memphis and Little Rock railroad, and Colonel John Robertson, its Superintendent, were in Little Rock last Saturday.

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GONE—FADED AND GONE.—The Brownlow hen selfish left Brownsville recently for parts unknown. They left at daybreak. They said they were going to Memphis to see Brownlow and about Brownsville wished no delay in the order of their going. Every man that owned a pig—every woman that owned chickens, was glad when they departed.

MUNICIPAL COURT.—The criminal side of this Court, June term, will adjourn to-day. The law side, July term, will convene this morning at ten o'clock A.M. The first call of the trial docket will be had after the jury is empaneled.

LAW COURT.—B. H. Capers, Esq., Deputy Clerk, requests attorneys having papers upon which judgments were obtained last term, to return them at once, as he finds it impossible to make up the execution docket without them.

Hats ventilated, cleaned, dyed, pressed and trimmed at 302 Second street. 3t

"TABERNACLE."

"Feast of Reason and Flow of Soul" To-Night.

Hon. Barnwell S. Stuart, late of South Carolina, will lecture upon the "Dream of the Novel Reader," and from the high character of this distinguished scholar, which has preceded him, for literary excellence, a rare treat may be anticipated. The theme is one which cannot fail to attract the thinking classes of our community, and we will guarantee all novel readers, especially, a discussion greatly to their delight. Mr. Stuart brings out some strikingly original thoughts in favor of his favorite authors, and in condemnation of the "yellow backs." Nothing could exceed in purity and beauty many passages of this celebrated production of Mr. Stuart's, judging from the statements of a competent friend who has heard it. Mr. Sullavan, Mr. McKee, Mr. Freeman, and one other will give chaste and entertaining recitations, with enough of the comic to give spice to the entertainment, and Mr. Bison and a friend will give choice selections of their best pieces on the guitar and harp. We expect to see a house full of people at the Tabernacle to-night.

Acknowledgements.

MEMPHIS TENN., July 1st 1867.

MRS. W. C. THOMPSON—*Dear Madam:* We have the honor hereby to acknowledge through Mr. D. C. Steinkuhl, with an expression of our esteem, the receipt of $63 45 the net proceeds of the tableaux given at the New Memphis Theater, for the benefit of St. Lazarus Church.

Permit us, Madam, in behalf of the vestry and congregation of St. Lazarus, to express our thanks and gratitude to you and your corps of assistants, for your magnificent entertainment and liberal donation. We desire, also, to express our thanks, our thanks to Mr. Leopold Goepel, for the magnificent piano used on the occasion; to Mr. Katzenbach for kind favors, and to the young men employes of the post office, who kindly volunteered as ushers and doorkeepers.

Very respectfully, your obedient servants,

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BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

MEMPHIS, July 1st, 1867.

At a called meeting of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, held yesterday, July 1st, 1867. Present—Honorable W. O. Lofland, Mayor; Chairman, and Aldermen Sloan, Gunter, Powell, Bowman, Ayres, Wickersham, Lynn, O'Donnell, Torrence, Shaw, Lennon, Smith, Passmore, Boiling, and Fentress.

A quorum being announced, the Chairman took his seat and called the Board to order, when the following report and the object of the meeting announced for the purpose of receiving the report of the Special Committee on the charges of perjury in the contract for paving the streets.

His Honor the Mayor, Chairman of the Committee, submitted the following report:

The Committee to whom was referred the investigation of bribery in connection with the Hopper & Montgomery contract, report that the evidence did not sustain the charges. By order of the Court.

W. O. LOFLAND, Mayor.

Adopted.

In connection with the foregoing report, the Committee submitted the following resolution, as directed in the investigation:

Resolved, That the Chairman of the Committee, submitted the testimony taken by this Committee, and that the Committee be discharged from further consideration of the subject.

Adopted.

The Chairman. That is not a pertinent question, and I will rule it out.

Witness. I will add, gentlemen, that next morning after the votes had been taken in the Council, on this contract, I was coming up from breakfast, when I met Mr. Mallory and Mr. Monsarrat, and he said: "In the report of the meeting yesterday, I see by the papers that Mr. Hopper has stated that he has offered a thousand dollars by an old time friend. That he have mentioned my name." I said "I only say, if he does, I will therefore, shall not adopt it to myself." Mr. Lofland and I had an interview, and he told me, that he had been at my office, and said he failed to give me any explanation about something that had got into the papers, and he now says he has seen the papers that Mr. Hopper has stated that he was offered a thousand dollars by an old time friend. That he have mentioned my name. That he had told him that he would have to take his word for it, for he would not give the name of the person who had approached him and evidently thought that the person referred to was a friend of twenty years' acquaintance. That he had addressed him as an old friend. That person had approached him and had told him that if he would give his influence to secure the contract to Hopper & Montgomery, a certain amount of bonds would be settled on the party of his children in the North. That he had written to there that the party who made this proposition was interested in the contract, and he thought this matter should be settled before the private meeting of the Board convened at Alderman Lynn's rooms on Tuesday afternoon, but some member, he supposed, Alderman Lynn, had informed the party that he had done so.

Alderman Passmore. Is the report I have read correct, Mr. Mayor?

Mayor Lofland. I do not think I said "that the party who had approached me was an old time friend." I said "a friend of twenty years' acquaintance."

Mr. O. Lofland, Mayor of Memphis, was then sworn and requested to make any statement he had to make to the committee.

Witness. I think it was on Wednesday that I had an interview with Mr. Ayres, in which he said to me he felt an interest in the contract of Hopper & Montgomery, and that Hopper & Montgomery should be successful in getting the contract. That was known, and was in favor of the other party, as I was of the opinion that the bonds of the other party would not bring the financial condition of the city; that I had no personal feeling in the matter, and all I cared for was the financial condition of the city. The conversation lasted some time, in the course of which Mr. Ayres said that if Hopper & Montgomery got the contract it would be a thousand dollars in my pocket. I felt hurt for a time, but afterward felt that Mr. Ayres was a friend of twenty years' acquaintance, and that would affect me, and I dismissed any unpleasant feelings I had experienced.

By Alderman Passmore. Did you intend speaking about the bonds of the party?

Witness. I would not have done so until I met Mr. Lemon. I knew he should not trouble himself about it, as he did not care whether the bonds were sold or not. I thought that Mr. Lemon was a friend, and I would tell him. I told him that the bonds in the word had made a similar proposition to me. The next morning I got reflecting. Mr. Cochran had said he would be ready pressing me, and I thought that the proposition had been made to him. Knowing that it had individuation on the part of Hopper & Montgomery, I felt it would become public. I decided it my duty to get some explanation of the matter. I met Mr. Lemon and Mr. Bolling in the office of the company with Alderman Lynn, and Mr. Bolling said he was in a hurry, and could not wait. I told him to take him to one and bring it before the Board in executive session that the whole matter might be ventilated. I met Mr. Lemon again, and he said he would not consider that he could bring me with a thousand dollars, and that was gone through for all the districts except the Fifth and Fourteenth, which will be sold to-day.

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ANNAPOLIS, June 29.—The Presidential party arrived this morning and were escorted to the hall of the Constitutional Committee in the capitol. They were enthusiastically received, and addresses of welcome were delivered by Professor Swann and Judge Carmichael, President of the Convention. The latter said measures had been inaugurated for the purpose of binding up the wounds of our bleeding country, which were received through the State of Maryland with universal acceptance. It was policy and wise statesmanship, thus promoting the work of patriotism and philanthropy.

The President responded; after which, calls were made for Mr. Seward, who responded at some length.

After visiting the Chamber, etc., the party departed for Washington.

WASHINGTON, June 30.—A dispatch from New Orleans states that Maximilian had been condemned to die, and was shot on the 19th of June. No particulars.

ROME, June 29.—The religious ceremonies in celebration of the eighteen hundredth anniversary of the martyrdom of St. Peter and St. Paul, and the canonization of twenty-five Dutch, French and Spanish martyrs in Japan as saints, was one of the most gorgeous ever witnessed in the world since the days of King Solomon. The observances commenced with a general illumination throughout the city, and St. Peter's looked like a great church on fire. At seven a.m. the grand procession of prelates, priests, monks and soldiers moved from the Vatican to St. Peter's. The Pope was carried on his throne. St. Peter's was magnificently decorated with cloths of gold and silver tapestries, paintings, and two hundred thousand yards of crimson silk. The building was lighted with many millions of wax candles. One hundred thousand people were inside the church, including the ex-King of Naples, the Queen Dowager, five hundred cardinals and archbishops, many thousand clergymen, priests, monks and nuns, from all parts of the world, were present. The Pope celebrated the Gregorian Mass in Latin and Greek. Two interruptions occurred. The curtains of one of the windows took fire, which was promptly put out. A man became crazed by the splendor, and cut his throat. The Pope at once consecrated the church, which had been stained with blood by the suicide. Liszt composed an extra piece of music for the grand mass, which was accompanied by the chorus "Te Deum." The observances will continue a week.

The Mexican Leader—What he Looks Like.

Mr. White, bearer of dispatches for Mr. Campbell, Minister to Mexico, thus describes Juarez: "Juarez is a slow motioned, stout, heavy built man, about fifty years of age; a full blooded Indian, with short straight, black hair, black eyes, a clean shaven, broad and coarse featured face, expressive of much determination and general intelligence, and has a large and well set head. He was dressed with much taste and neatness, in black broadcloth, and for a man of his size and general "make up," has a genial address, and is most easy, if not to say graceful, gait and carriage of person. His utterance is slow, and marked with much decision; he, however, speaks no English. Mr. White was treated by Juarez and his officials with much courtesy and consideration; in fact, the deportment of all the Mexican officials with whom his mission brought him in contact, was such a character as would suggest the idea that it was intended to convey a favorable impression of the Liberal cause and Government, through him, to the United States authorities."

MONETARY.

DAILY AVALANCHE OFFICE,
TUESDAY, July 2, 1867.

The financial market yesterday was quiet, with very little animation exhibited in the market. The discount market ruled close with the rates of interest firm and unchanged. First class approved paper ruled at 10@12 per cent.; commercial at 15@18 per cent.

GOLD—In New York gold was firm and steady at 138¼. In the market here the transactions were light with the premium rates ruling at 137@137¼. Silver continues to rule quiet, buying at 127@120.

EXCHANGE—Is in light supply, buying at par to ¼c off, and selling at ¼c premium.

DRY SCRIP—The market yesterday was active, with a good demand and prices firm, buying at 69@70c and selling at 72@73c. We learned of a sale of a lot of 4000 yesterday at 71¾c.

COUPON SCRIP—Continues steady, buying at 80@82c, and selling at 86@88c.

POLICE SCRIP—Dull and quiet; buying at 70c and selling at 75c.

BONDS—M. and C. railroad bonds, 75c; M. and C. railroad coupons, 83c; M. and O. railroad bonds, 20c; M. and O. railroad coupons, 20c; Tennessee bonds, old, 66c; Tennessee bonds, new, 64c; Mississippi C. railroad, 1st mortgage, 55c; do. do. do., 2d mortgage, 40c; Memphis city bonds, 60c; do. do. coupons, 58c.

UNCURRENT MONEY—Steady; buying at the following rates:

TENNESSEE—Bank of Tennessee, old issue, 33c; bank of West Tennessee, 40c; bank of Middle Tennessee, 95c; City Bank, 60c; Merchant's Bank, 55c; Northern Bank, 95c; Ocoee Bank, 60c; Planters' Bank, 98c; Union Bank, 98c; Shelbyville Bank, 80c; Southern Bank, 25c; Traders' Bank, 95c.

ALABAMA—Bank of Mobile, 95c; Bank of Montgomery, 45c; Bank of Selma, 20c; Eastern Bank, 42c; Northern Bank, 30c; Southern Bank, 95c.

NORTH CAROLINA—Bank of Cape Fear, 22c; Bank of Charlotte, 20c; Bank of North Carolina, 38c; Bank of Wadesboro, 20c; Farmers' Bank of North Carolina, 20c; Merchant's Bank of North Carolina, Miners' and Planters' Bank, 37c.

GEORGIA—Bank of Augusta, 37c; Bank of Athens, 40c; Bank of Fulton, 37c; Bank of Middle Georgia, 80c; Bank of Savannah, 30c; Central Railroad Bank Company, 28c; City Bank of Augusta, 20c.

SOUTH CAROLINA—Bank of Camden, 23c; Bank of Newbury, 25c; Merchants' Bank, 10c; People's Bank, 80c; Planters' and Mechanics' Bank, 16c; South Western Railroad Bank, 22c; Union Bank, 55c.

COMMERCIAL.

DAILY AVALANCHE OFFICE,
TUESDAY, July 2, 1867.

Trade in the leading markets remains dull and stagnant, except in corn, which is in fair demand, with prices firm and little on the market. The market in other articles is well supplied.

COTTON—We have no material changes to report in the cotton market. Offerings are still light and undesirably assorted, while the demand continues restricted. The sales for the day are small and transactions mostly confined to small lots. Middling at 20¼; 21¼@22¼; low middling, 21¼@22¼; ordinaries, 16@20. The market closed with prices unsettled. The Liverpool market was reported dull and prices tending downwards; uplands, 11d; Orleans, 11¼d. Sales for the day, 8,000 bales. The New York market was reported quiet but firm, with uplands at 29@29½; Orleans, 2?.

Inferior	12 @14
Ordinary	17 @18
Good ordinary	19 @20
Low middling	21 @22
Middling	23 @24
Strict middling	24½ @25
Good middling	26 @28

GENERAL MARKET.

[NOTE.—Our quotations are the wholesale prices unless otherwise stated. In filling small orders to the city or country trade an advance of three to five per cent. is obtained.]

CORN—The market yesterday was firmer, with a fair demand and a light supply on the market. Choice white and yellow ruled at $1 10@1 15; mixed and inferior at $1 05@1 07.

OATS—Steady and firm at 81@82c for choice No. 1; No. 2 at 78@76c.

CORNMEAL—In fair demand, with full receipts; sales of kiln dried at $4 50@4 75.

HAY—Dull and quiet, with full receipts. Prime timothy rules at 22@25c; inferior nominal at 16@20c.

PROVISIONS—Mess pork rules dull in large lots at $22 75; in small lots at $23@23 25; prime is nominal and in light request at $21 50.

BACON—Steady. Clear sides ruled at 13¼@13½c; clear ribbed sides, 12@12¾; ribbed sides, 11¾@12½c; shoulders, 9½@10¾; canvassed hams, 16@16½c; plain hams, at 15@16c; breakfast bacon, 15@15½c.

FLOUR—Dull, with a small demand. Prices are weak, unsettled and tending downward; fine, $6 50@7 50 ₱ bbl; superfine, $10@10 25; single extra, $11@11 27; XX, $12 50@13 50; fancy brands, $15 50@17 50.

EGGS—Quiet and steady, with a small trade doing; ruling from 20 to 22c ₱ dozen.

LARD—Quiet and steady. Keg leaf, 14¼@14½c; tierce, 13@13½c.

COFFEE—Market steady with a small trade doing. Rio, 29@32c; Laguira, 32@35c; Java, 40@43c.

MOLASSES—Market inactive, with a small trade doing. New Orleans 80 to 90; Sorghum at 65 to 75c. Syrups 95c to $1 10.

SUGAR—Steady and quiet. Orleans 13¼ to 16c; crushed and powdered 17@17¼c; coffee sugars 15 to 16¾c; yellow refined 13 to 15c.

POTATOES—In good demand, with few of the old crop on the market, which are selling at $5 50@6 per barrel; new in fair supply, selling at $5@6 50 per barrel.

ONIONS—In fair demand at $5 00@5 50 per brl.

BEANS—Quiet at $4 25@4 50 per brl for prime navy.

RICE—Quiet at 11¼@12¼c per lb.

SALT—Steady and dull at $2 75@3 per brl.

TALLOW—9@10c per lb.

TAR—Quiet at $6 50 per dozen kegs.

CHICKENS—Spring are in demand with small receipts, selling at $5 00@6 00 ₱ dozen. Old are in fair supply, selling at $5 00@5 50 ₱ dozen.

BUTTER—Quiet, with a large stock on the market. Choice yellow ruled at 17@22c; common, 12@16c.

PAINTS, OILS, ETC.—The market is inactive. We quote white lead, as to quality, 12½@16c; American zinc, 9@10c; French zinc, 12½@16c; linseed oil, $1 00; turpentine, $1 10; dryers, 16c; putty, 7½@8c.

GREASE—In demand, at 7@7¼c per pound for shipment.

CHEESE—Nominal; Western Reserve 17@18c.

BRAN—Firm and steady at $45@46 per ton.

BREWERS—Dull and quiet at 30c.

BAGGING—Nominal and nothing doing.

CEMENT—Quiet at $3 25@3 50; Rosendale, $3 75@4 00.

HIDES—In fair demand; flint, 17c; salted, 10@10½c; green, 8@8½c.

TURPENTINE—Firm at $1@1 10 per gallon.

CANDLES—Dull and quiet at 16c for light weights.

WOOL—In fair demand; unwashed, 20@28c; washed, 30@40c per lb.

WHISKY—Market steady and quiet, with a small trade doing. Sales of common at $1 90@2 25; Bourbon, $2 50@4 25.

TOBACCO—There is a good demand for all grades and prices are unchanged. A fine stock is on hand and new supplies are received daily. We quote natural leaf at $1 20@1 30; fancy Virginia, new work, $1 00@1 25; fine bright, pounds, $1 00@1 10; medium do, pounds, 75@80c; common bright, pounds, 60@75c; fine fancy smoking, 75c@$1 50.

GUNPOWDER—Inactive and no ainally $10 per keg; $5 50 per half keg; $3 25 per quarter keg.

LEATHER—Quiet and steady. Oak sole, 46@53c; hemlock, 40@43c; harness, 38@42c; skirting, 45@48c; uppers, per dozen, $35 50; French calf, $60@75; American calf, $40@54.

FISH—Quiet, with a fair jobbing trade doing. North Carolina white shad, half barrels, $10; family Roe herrings, half barrel, $10; cut herrings, per barrel, $16; Mackerel, No. 1, per bbl, $23; per half bbl, $12@12 50; per kit, $3@3 10; No. 2 per bbl, $21; per half bbl, $11; per kit $2 75; No. 3 per bbl, $18@19; per half bbl $10; per kit, $2 50@2 60. White fish, per half bbl, $7@8. Dried cod per lb, 8@9c. Dried herrings per box, 65c.

PHILLIPS' PROVISION EXCHANGE.

CINCINNATI, June 28, 1867.

The provision market during the week has maintained a firmer tone for most articles than last reported and the changes have been towards an advance in all articles except lard, which still continues stagnant—the scarcity, poor quality and high prices of beef, together with the warm weather is causing a good demand for hams, and the probabilities are that the stock on hand in this market will be exhausted early. The demand for all articles is consumptive. Speculators do not yet seem to have confidence enough in the future to make large investments.

MESS PORK—Has been unsettled all the week, buyers have not been willing to pay over $21 for the best, while many are holding for higher figures, though this price could not be obtained for round lots were it offered; in fact the demand is light.

LARD—Has been very dull, with free offerings at 11¾c for choice city, while buyers conteud for 11¼c, but get it only in small quantities as yet. Spanish martyrs (in Japan as saints) was one of the most gorgeous ever witnessed in the world since the days of King Solomon. The observances commenced with a general illumination throughout the city, and St. Peter's looked like a great church on fire. At seven a.m. the grand procession of prelates, priests, monks and soldiers moved from the Vatican to St. Peter's. The Pope was carried on his throne. St. Peter's was magnificently decorated with cloths of gold and silver tapestries, paintings, and two hundred thousand yards of crimson silk. The building was lighted with many millions of wax candles. One hundred thousand people were inside the church, including the ex-King of Naples, the Queen Dowager, five hundred cardinals and archbishops, many thousand clergymen, priests, monks and nuns, from all parts of the world, were present. The Pope celebrated the Gregorian Mass in Latin and Greek. Two interruptions occurred. The curtains of one of the windows took fire, which was promptly put out. A man became crazed by the splendor, and cut his throat. The Pope at once consecrated the church, which had been stained with blood by the suicide. Liszt composed an extra piece of music for the grand mass, which was accompanied by the chorus "Te Deum." The observances will continue a week.

BEEF HAMS—20½@21c; in pickle $35 00.

PLATE BEEF—Very scarce, and not to be had under $26 00. It is generally held higher.

WHISKY—Firm, 30c.

EXPORTS—Of the week, 1,944 bbls and 672 kegs lard; 876 bbds and 1,613 tierces bulk meats and bacon; 1,221 bbls and 321 boxes pork; 1,200 lbs bacon.

IMPORTS—29 bbls and 109 kegs lard; 35 bhds and 141 tierces bulk meats and bacon, and 177 bbls pork.

Freights—The low stage of water in the river has thrown this avenue out of competition for Eastern freights, and the present rates remain at 55c, 60c, and 70c, all rail to Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York and Boston, or five cents less by rail and lake. To New Orleans, pound freight 50c; pork per bbl, $1 25.

Very respectfully,
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Provision and produce broker.

THE CROPS.

Reports from all parts of Wisconsin are favorable as to the crop prospects, except as to winter wheat in Fon du Lac county.

A special to the Cincinnati *Commercial* dated the 26th says: "The wheat harvest in Southern Illinois began a week ago, and is now going on as far North as Springfield. The grain is very heavy, ripe and excellent. The yield of the State will be immense.

By a special to the same paper we learn that harvest has begun in Missouri, and though wet weather has caused the rust to make its appearance in some places, the crop will be the finest, it is thought, ever gathered in Missouri.

The reports from Elkhorn valley, one of the best grain growing regions in Nebraska, represent a promise of the most abundant wheat crop ever had.

The potato bug is destroying the growing potato crop in some parts of Iowa and in the Rock river region of Illinois. The pestiferous insects swarm over the potato fields like locusts, and literally devour the plants.

It is reported that the crops in Florida promise but badly. They are very backward in consequence of the coolness of the Spring, and the Floridians do not feel particularly cheerful at the prospect before them.

Nine-tenths of all the reports received at the Agricultural Department during the last month have agreed as to the favorable prospect of the harvest. Never, according to the Commissioner's summing up, has their been so general an expression of encouragement.

A dispatch from San Francisco, dated the 26th, says: The work of harvesting is progressing in many parts of the State under flattering circumstances. Invoices of the new crop are expected freely in a week or ten days. Price of new wheat one dollar and sixty cents. Several vessels, already chartered, load with grain for European and and Asiatic ports.

From all parts of Tennessee we hear the most favorable accounts, excepting from the counties of Gibson, Dyer and Henry. There are very many counties from which we have not heard, but the general reports are very favorable.

From the Chattanooga *Union* we learn that the farmers in Lookout and Wills Valley have been engaged in cutting their wheat this week. Without exceptions they pronounce the yield larger and of a finer quality than any harvest for the last ten years.

From our Trenton cotemporary we learn never, perhaps, were crops later and less promising in this county than this season. The wheat yield, generally, will be small. The rust has vigorously attacked the oat crop. Corn and cotton look small and unhopeful.

The Atlanta *Intelligencer*, of the 27th ultimo, heard from a gentleman from McMinn county, East Tennessee, on Thursday, that the wheat crop of that section is heavier than for many years, and the grain generally of a superior quality. Hay crop heavy, and corn growing finely. Throughout Tennessee the crop prospect was never better.

From Mississippi we have very favorable reports. Cotton is blossoming in the neighborhood of Columbus.

In Oktibbeha county, we learn from the Starkville *New Era*, the prospect for corn is excellent. Cotton is not doing so well.

The Charleston (Mississippi) *Tallahatchian* of the 29th says: We continue to receive favorable reports from all parts of the country, on the subject of the crop prospect. Corn and cotton are both looking well.

In Choctaw county they will raise plenty of corn and to spare. Farmers prophesy it will not be worth more than fifty cents a bushel this fall.

The Canton *Mail* says crops are very backward this year, but most farmers have excellent stands of corn and cotton. A larger amount of corn was planted than usual.

The Nashville *Gazette* is informed by Captain R. A. Mitchell, who has recently been on a trip to Mississippi, that the cotton crop in the Eastern portion of that State is exceedingly promising. The corn crop is also looking quite promising, and the planters are in fine spirits.

The Brandon *Republican* says that corn in that county, on the lowlands, is looking tolerably well, but the cotton generally looks sickly. Oats will be ripe in a few days. The wheat crop is badly damaged by the rust in some localities.

The Corinth *Weekly News* says: The cotton and corn crops of the eastern portion of Tishomingo are very promising. They are being thoroughly worked, and the gentle rains are causing them to promise a rich yield in due season. From Mr. Smith, of Chewalla, we are informed that the farmers of that section are in good cheer, as their fields are waving with vigorous looking corn, and cotton is quite promising, save occasionally the lice show themselves in the cotton patch.

The Liberty (Mississippi) correspondent of the *New Orleans Picayune*, speaking of the crops in Amite county, says: The crops in this section are promising, particularly the corn crop, which is now nearly made. A few more showers will insure a full crop of corn, and an abundance to supply the demand. Cotton looks well where it is free of grass. The weather is now propitious, and if it continues a few days, most of the crops will be clean, and if no worms, a good crop will be made.

From all parts of Alabama we hear promising accounts of the crops. Cotton is very favorable in the prairie country.

The Uniontown *Herald* says: We hear but one expression of the crops in this vicinity—that they are growing finely and as good as could be desired.

The Selma (Ala.) *Messenger*, of the 18th, reports fine rains, and corn looking splendidly. Much more corn than cotton is planted in that section.

The West *Alabamian* says: The prospects are indeed most cheering, and the planters are working closely and getting their crops clean and in good condition to lay by. The corn crop especially looks well, and with a little rain occasionally we shall be independent of the Northwest next year.

The Demopolis *New Era* says: We were informed a few days ago by a planter who lives in the fork of the river, that he has not seen the corn crop look more promising at this season of the year for about twenty-one years; he also represents the cotton as growing rapidly. Reports from other parts of the surrounding country are encouraging.

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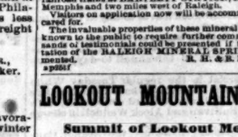

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